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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Freezing weather in the territory contiguous to New Orleans is believed to have wound up the yellow fever in that section; quarantine has been raised. —— Helen Gould, in a letter, adds the weight of her influence against the Mormon, Roberts, being allowed to have a seat in the U. S. Congress. —— President McKinley will go to Ohio to vote. —— Gen. Joe Wheeler writes that he will resume his seat in Congress when that body meets. —— Admiral Schley enthusiastically welcomed in Atlanta. —— A movement is on foot in Atlanta to form a naval stores combine. —— Vice President Hobart's condition is unchanged. —— The situation at Ladysmith is unchanged; it is completely invested by the Boers; the artillery duel still continues. —— New York markets: Money on call was firm at 4 per cent., last loan at 4 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 7 9-16c; flour dull and tending downward; wheat—spot dull but steady; No. 2 red 73½c; corn—spot dull and easy; No. 2, 40½c; oats—spot quiet, No. 2 29½c; rosin dull; strained common to g od $1.22½@1 25; spirits turpentine quiet at 51@51½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 4.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 42 degrees; 8 P. M., 52 degrees; maximum, 60 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .01.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 12 8 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday; light variable winds.

Port Almanac---Nov. 5.

Sun Rises	6 30 A. M.
Sun Sets	4 58 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 26 M
High Water at Southport	8 55 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington	12.25 A. M.

Mr. Markham is now accused of cribbing "The Man with a Hoe," and from a woman, too—Miss Cora E. Chase, who published it in a California magazine in 1893.

That New York chap who lit on $9,000 which the owner, who didn't have confidence in the banks deposited in his piano, and got away with it got more out of a piano than most people do.

The director of the U. S. mint reports the world's output of gold for 1898 at 13,904,363 full ounces, valued at $278,428,000, an increase of $50,000,000 over the output of the previous year.

The public debt of France including the communes and departments, is about $7,800,000,000, while the annual expenditures are about $800,000,000, a pretty heavy load for our French friends to tote.

Mark Hanna has invented a new campaign slogan, "Full dinner buckets and expansion." Mark also believes in a full barrel, though he does not hitch that on to his slogan. He keeps it within reach.

The Boers use the Mannlicher rifle, which has a killing capacity at a range of 4,000 yards, and the Boers know how to shoot it, too. At 4,000 yards the bullet will go through two inches of solid plank.

Notwithstanding the fact that according to the statistics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture the American hen added last year $300,000,000 to the national wealth, she has to scratch for a living.

Among the youthful adventures of Uncle Paul Kruger was the strangling of a wolf and the rescue of his little sister, who had been attacked by the wolf, and whipping a a lion in a stand up fight. The old chap is making it hot for the British lion now.

Miss Frank, of Benson, Minnesota, on her way to church, thought she would save time by hopping over the bumpers of a freight train which was standing on the track across the street. About the time she got up the train started and Miss Frank took a thirty-mile ride on the bumpers, free, gratis and for nothing. She missed church but had an exhilarating ride.

A Texas paper says East Texas is the only section now in which pure cane molasses can be found, the reason assigned being that with the improvements in sugar making the refiners work all the saccharine matter into sugar, leaving no molasses fit for human consumption. Well, what difference does that make when the molasses manipulator can put up a daisy article on short notice, anything you want to meet the taste, or the demand?

LOCAL DOTS.

— Twenty-two arrests were made by the police during the past week; thirteen of white offenders and nine of colored.

— The local spirits turpentine market scored another decided decline yesterday. Sales were not made higher than 47½ cents.

— The tug *Marion* will this morning tow to Southport the British steamer *Slingsby*, which cleared this port for Bremen last night.

— Mr. James Davis, of Elrod, Robeson county, whose foot was cut off by a shifting engine in the A. C. L. yards Thursday, is improving at the City Hospital.

— At Southport yesterday, Mr. R. T. Bonsel, a pilot, had one of his legs badly crushed with an anchor chain while on board a barque which he was handling.

— Adjutant General B. S. Royster, of the State Guard, is expected here very soon to inspect the Wilmington Light Infantry and Wilmington Division Naval Reserves.

— City and county tax collectors since November 1st have resorted to the garnisheeing process and receipts are increasing now at both offices at a very satisfactory rate.

— Mr. J. T. Riley, owner of the wrecked schooner *Roger Moore*, had no further information from the vessel yesterday. He is still undecided as to whether he will go to her or not, but hardly thinks that he will.

— The congregation of the Second Advent church of this city has extended another very pressing call to Rev. J. P. King, of Brunswick, Ga. In a telegram received from him yesterday, Mr. King accepts the call.

— The monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, will be held at the W. L. I. armory to-morrow evening at 8.30 o'clock. The camp will meet hereafter on the first Monday evening in each month,

— The County Commissioners will hold their regular meeting for November to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock; the Board of Aldermen at 8 o'clock Monday night and the City Board of Audit and Finance Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

— The Carolina Central R. R. train will by the new schedule which goes into effect to-day, leave Wilmington at 3.05 P. M. daily. So that mails going via this road will hereafter close at 2.25 P. M., instead of 2.40, as heretofore.

— Mr. Eli C. Davis, yard conductor at the S. A. L. depot, had one of his great toes mashed off between the bumpers of two cars yesterday about noon. He was removed to his home, No. 903 North Fourth street, where the wound was dressed by Dr. A. H. Harriss.

— Mr. F. J. Dempsey, of Acorn Branch, yesterday exhibited at the STAR office some very fine Irish potatoes, which are a second crop of some "Wood's Early" raised on his truck farm in Cape Fear township. They were planted in August.

— One considerable item of loss to Wilmington merchants incident to the recent storm, during which the wharves were flooded, was injury by water to several hundred bales of deer tongue which were piled along the water front in different places. It was being "put out to sun" by a number of people yesterday. There was also damage to a number of flat loads in transit down the river.

— The Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to arrange for a reception at The Orton to the officials of the Seaboard Air Line during their visit here this week, met yesterday at the rooms of the Chamber. Mr. J. C. Stevenson presided and Messrs. D. L. Gore, Sam Bear, Jr., M. W. Jacobi and W. E. Springer were present. Messrs. Springer, Bear and Jacobi were appointed to make the arrangements and Messrs. C. W. Wood, George R. French and D. L. Gore were appointed to see that our business men attend the reception.

— Last night between 11 and 12 o'clock, John F. Martin, colored, was assaulted with a knife in the hands of Arthur Taylor, a young negro about 21 years of age, who boarded with him at his home on Tenth street between Queen and Wooster streets. He appealed to Justice G. W. Bornemann for protection and Judge Bornemann with assistance arrested Taylor this morning at 12.30 o'clock. On the way to jail Taylor pulled his knife and attempted to resist, but was subdued. He will give him a hearing at 10 o'clock to-morrow.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. D. Maffitt—They look well.
Geo. Honnet—Your attention.
Sociable—Wednesday evening.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Leaders.
M. H. Curran—We are rushed.
Dingelhoef Bros.—Correct defects.
Taylor's Bazaar—Special bargains.
S. & B. Solomon—Shoes for ladies.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Prices talk for me.
Knights of Golden Eagle—Attention
VonGlahn & Gibson—A man's shirt
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—All this week.
Atlantic National Bank—Stands first
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—Save your money.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Reliable clerk.
Star Studio—Read our offer.
Cape Fear Camp—Attention.
U. C. Ellis—Photographic work.
Miss Elizabeth Payne-Class French,

$1.25 buys any Umbrella in the window display of The C. W. Polvogt Co. †

THE MARSHALL CASE TO BE TRIED AT RALEIGH.

No Bill of Indictment Sent Before Grand Jury Here—Proceedings in the U. S. Court Yesterday.

The United States District Court, His Honor Judge Thos. R. Purnell presiding, which has been in session here since last Tuesday, finished up its business and adjourned yesterday afternoon.

It was anticipated that the court at this term would try the case against A. J. Marshall, Esq., a well known member of the Wilmington bar, who was arrested last Spring on the charge of being an accomplice of Nick Politz in counterfeiting silver coin, but District Attorney Bernard did not even send a bill before the grand jury. Government Detective B. F. Perry, of Charlotte, who worked up the counterfeiting case, was here to attend the expected trial as a witness.

As to the case against Mr. Marshall the following entry appears upon yesterday's court record: "Continued for bill; defendant required to renew his bond." It will be remembered that the case against Mr. Marshall was continued from the May term of the court, and that he gave bond in the amount of $5,000 for his appearance for trial at this term.

There has been much speculation as to the failure of the District Attorney to send in a bill in this case, but there are good reasons for believing that the trial will not take place in Wilmington but will be held in Raleigh next month. Theodore Darkley, the young Greek who has been confined in jail here since June 12th as a witness in this case, because he could not give a bond of $1,000 was released on bond yesterday afternoon through the effort of his attorney, B. G. Empie, Esq. His bond was reduced to $100, and that amount, in lieu of a bond, was retained out of the fee which he gets as a witness in durance. The government allows him one dollar per day and his board for every day he is held in jail as a witness. Up to yesterday he had been confined in jail 145 days, and in addition to the fee allowed, his expense for medicine and medical attendance was allowed, he having had a spell of sickness during his confinement. It is learned on good authority that when his bond was taken yesterday afternoon it was for his appearance as a witness during the first week of the December term of the District Court to be held at Raleigh, This would indicate that the case against Mr. Marshall is to be transferred to Raleigh.

At the session of the court yesterday cases were disposed of as follows:

U. S. vs. Cypress Distillery Company, continued for bill.

U. S. vs. T. J. Gore, indicted for the removal of spirits from unstamped packages. Defendant admitted that his agent without defendant's knowlege or consent and against his instructions failed to make the proper entries on the book required by law to be kept at the distillery, but he denied that there was any intent to defraud the government. This plea was accepted and the case was dismissed upon the payment of a penalty of $100 and the costs.

U. S. vs. James Blue, violation of the U. S. revenue law, continued. Defendant required to give bond in the sum of $1,000 for his appearance at the December term at Raleigh.

U. S. vs. W. E. Black, former postmaster at Carthage, N. C., charged with misappropriating postoffice funds. Continued to the December term at Raleigh. Defendant was required to give a bond of $1,000.

U. S. vs. John Graham, convicted of retailing liquor without license; judgment suspended on payment of the costs amounting to $56.62, which was paid.

S. W. Skinner vs. George Harriss, Jr., libel involving the ownership of the barque *Marion S. Harriss*, argued as to jurisdiction by Col. Thos. Evans for Capt. Skinner, and by Messrs. Geo. Rountree, E. K. Bryan and George H. Howell, for the defendant. The Judge took the papers and reserved his decision.

River Shipping Notes.

The steamer *Hurt* arrived from Fayetteville at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and cleared last evening on the return trip with a cargo of general merchandise.

The *Hawes* came in from up Black river Friday night and cleared at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the return.

The *Driver* did not clear yesterday but will return to Fayetteville Monday. She is being handsomely repainted and when completed will be one of the prettiest boats on the river. The *Driver* was at her wharf yesterday looking none the worst for her rough experience with the storm Monday night at Navassa. She proved on this occasion one of the sturdiest of the river craft.

The steamer *Seabright* cleared last night about 9 o'clock for the return to Little River, S. C., with a heavy cargo of general merchandise. Capt. Sanders says that it is the schooner *Spray*, which is bottom up in Shallotte Inlet and not the *Stonewall* as reported yesterday. The *Stonewall* has not been heard of since the storm, though her crew got ashore all safe in small boats.

The Sneed-Fuller Co. will for a few days only, continue their dining room chair sale. Those in need of chairs, would do well to call. †

Have you seen the Rugs that The Polvogt Co are selling so cheap Largest stock in the city to select from. †

AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

"The Winter's Tale" Presented by a Strong Company—Coming Attractions This Week.

"The Winter's Tale" was most successfully presented by the great star triumvirate—Kidder, James and Hanford—at the Opera House last night. Of the play itself nothing of course need be said; 'twas Shakespeare's—one of his prettiest plays presented by a company that ranks among the best that has ever visited Wilmington. The triumvirate, as a whole and individually, sustained their well deserved and enviable reputation.

Louis James, in the comic role of *Autolycus*, a rogue, was excellent, and the audience regretted that the plot did not enable them to see more of him. James Hanford, as *Leontes*, King of Sicilia, portrayed the character in a most impressive and creditable manner. Kathryn Kidder, in the double role of *Hermione*, Queen, and *Perdita*, daughter of *Leontes* and *Hermione*, was superb.

The acting and scenery were excellent throughout but the climax was appropriately reached in the last scene of the last act and it is safe to say that a more effective and impressive scene has never been witnessed on the Wilmington stage.

The audience was fasthonable and select, but the performance—the best of its kind ever witnessed here—deserved a much larger patronage. The criticisms every where have been most complimentary and it is to be regretted that more of the theatre-goers did not have the pleasure of seeing it.

Lovers of good music, clever singing and dancing, combined with pure and wholesome comedy, will have the opportunity of witnessing some excellent performances at the Opera House next week, for charming little Mabel Paige, who justly bears the well earned title of "The Idol of the South," in conjunction with Marshall's Musical Comedy Company, is billed to begin an engagement to morrow night. Mabel Paige is too well known in the South to require any introduction, and her managers, Messrs. Marshall & Co., have spared no expense in surrounding her with a company of capable and versatile artists. The company's repertoire is a large one and includes a number of bright musical comedies, among which are "The Little Cadet," "Wicklow Lass," "The Elopement," "Miss Juliet," "Down in Mississippi," "Miss Rora," "The Little Rebel," "A Bachelor's Dilemma," "The Girl from Ireland," "Charity Bob," "Under the Cuban Star," "In the Highlands," etc. As it has been the custom of companies playing week stands to play at popular prices, 10, 21 and 30 cents, there will be no deviation from this rule during this engagement, although the expense of equipping and maintaining this organization is much greater than that of the ordinary repertoire companies.

To-morrow night ladies will be admitted free of charge if accompanied by a person holding one paid 30 cents ticket. The Little Egyptian will be the opening bill.

NEW WHOLESALE HOUSE.

Messrs. Cooper & Cooper, of Mullins, S. C., Will Open Grocery Business.

Messrs. Cooper & Cooper, a firm of two enterprising young business men who have successfully controlled a large retail mercantile supply house at Mullins, S. C., for a number of years, have decided to close their store in the last named place, and will at a very early date open up a wholesale business here. They have already rented the commodious and eligibly located new brick store house on Nutt street between the Worth building and that of the Armour Packing Company, and will open their doors to the trade in a very few days.

Both members of the firm are brothers of Mr. W. B. Cooper, one of Wilmington's most successful wholesale merchants, and the STAR joins many friends in wishing them a long and successful existence in their business career in North Carolina's most favored commercial centre.

Monthly Fire Report.

The report of Chief Charles Schnibben, of the Wilmington fire department, for the month of October, as it will be presented to the Board of Aldermen at the regular monthly meeting to-morrow night, will show the following statistics of interest to the public:

During the month the department responded to fifteen alarms, eleven of which were by bell, three by telephone and one still alarm. The causes of the alarms were as follows: Lamp explosion, 2; unknown, 1; sparks from chimney, 3; defective flue, 2; false alarm, 1; fire falling from stove, 1; incendiary, 1; chimney burning out, 1; sparks from fireplace, 1; candle burning too low, 1; storm, 1. The valuation of buildings in which fires occurred is $13,500; insurance on buildings, $10,000; valuation of contents of buildings, $8,500; insurance on contents, $3,500; damage to buildings, $661.93; damage to contents, $597.25.

Run Down by Bicyclist.

Rev. John Epps, an old colored man who is employed to assist in lighting the oil lamps of the city, was run over by a bicyclist yesterday morning about 5 o'clock at the corner of Fourth and Swann streets. He was carrying a ladder and was knocked insensible for some time. He received an ugly gash on the head which was dressed by Dr. McMillan. The identity of the rider who ran over the old man is unknown.

Read the advertisement of The C. W. Polvogt Co. Also see their window display. †

If you need a pair of Blankets visit The C. W. Polvogt Co. See window display. †

NORTHERN CAPITALISTS EFFECT A DEAL.

Wilmington Gaslight Company to Change Hands and be Reorganized — New Methods and Improvements.

Northern capitalists have consummated the deal, heretofore alluded to, by which they secure an option on the plant of the Wilmington Gaslight Company. It is understood that only the details of the purchase remain to be arranged and that the property is soon to be transferred to the new company.

The Wilmington Gaslight Company is a corporation composed mostly of stockholders who reside in this city, and it operates both a gas and electric plant. The representative of the new purchase was here the past week to consummate the trade and it is understood that he has gone back North to close up the transaction.

It is said that when the new purchasers get control the company will be reorganized and the plant operated on a scale that will revolutionize things. New methods and the latest improvements are to be inaugurated by the new purchasers.

IMPROVEMENT OF PRINCESS STREET

How Shall This Important Thoroughfare Be Paved?

It is presumed that the Board of Aldermen, which meets to-morrow night in regular monthly session, will take up this important matter.

This street has become one of the principal thoroughfares of the city, as it leads to the public buildings, including the city hall, the county court house and opera house, and the manner of its improvement should be a matter of earnest and careful consideration. Its pavement has been in contemplation for several years, and certainly it should be attended to without delay, for it has been one of the most neglected streets of our city—reeking with deep mud holes in wet weather, from Front street to Third street, and in dry and windy weather being a dust producer of gigantic proportions. The fact is it has become an eye sore.

The STAR is reliably informed by one of the members of the Finance Committee that with the view to making a permanent improvement of this street, either with asphalt or vitrified brick, the unusually large appropriation of $25,000 was agreed upon by the Finance Committee, to be appropriated in the annual budget for streets and wharves improvements, realizing that such improvement as this thoroughfare requires and should have would cost several thousand dollars.

There has been some talk of macadamizing the street with shell or phosphate rock, but it is hoped that the Streets and Wharves Committee will not decide upon such material for the work. Not only the citizens and taxpayers on the street will not approve of such an improvement, but the citizens of Wilmington at large are not in favor of having so important a thoroughfare improved with such material. It would be money wasted, as in a very few years it would be in about as bad condition as it is now. The repairs it would require from year to year, added to the expenditure for the improvement, would pay for permanent work.

The Wrecked Sailors.

Captain F. C. Miller, of the steamer *Catharine Whitney*, of New York, which was wrecked at Goss Beach, on the Brunswick county coast on Tuesday morning during the hurricane, made arrangements yesterday for himself and the seventeen men of his crew to leave to day for New York on the Clyde steamer *New York*. The steamer will sail at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the wharf of the Cape Fear Lumber Company.

The second officer, Mr. Frank Johnson, who was struck by a piece of timber and knocked from the bridge, getting his hand severely cut, in a fall of twelve feet while the ship was going to pieces, is getting along very well, considering his rough experience.

Street Work.

Superintendent of Streets J. A. Perry has been engaged since Wednesday in cleaning up the debris left by the recent storm. All the city carts and wagons have been in constant use and the job has been an unusually tedious one. Mr. Perry says he is unable to state when he can get more of the phosphate rock for the permanent street improvement. The convicts at Castle Hayne for the most part have been transferred to the different State farms to pick the cotton crops and the quarries there have not been operated for some time. It is expected that at to-morrow night's meeting of the Board of Aldermen some action will be taken looking to the Princess street work, the need of which is becoming more apparent every day.

Funeral This Afternoon.

The funeral of little Jerrie D. Dreher, whose death was announced in yesterday's STAR, will be held from the residence of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Dreher, No. 807 Princess street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church and the interment will be at Oakdale cemetery.

Cold weather. You will need underwear. See the stock of The Polvogt Co.; they have the largest stock in the city to select from. †

Let The Polvogt Co. sell you your new Window Shades. The largest stock in the State to select from. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, was here yesterday.

— Capt. W. H. Williams, of Newton, is a guest of The Orton.

— Mr. J. C. Clark, of Elizabethtown, was among yesterday's visitors to the city.

— John H. Cook, Esq., of Maxton, was here yesterday attending the United States Court.

— Mr. Geo. A. Letford, the representative of H. E. Bucklen & Co., of Chicago, is again in the city.

— Mrs. Henry B. Kopf, of Patterson, N. J., is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Plummer.

— Mr. J. W. Old, of Charlotte, one of the best known travelling salesmen who visit Wilmington, is at The Orton.

— Mrs. J. C. Murchison left last evening for Tarboro, on a visit to friends. Mr. Murchison accompanied her and will spend Sunday at Tarboro.

— Mr. T. H. Thompson, the well known and popular travelling representative of the Eagle Paper Company, Richmond, returned to the city yesterday to spend Sunday at home.

— Mr. F. B. Rice, Government hull inspector, is here from Charleston, on his way up the district to look after vessels injured by the recent storm. He will go to Newbern to-morrow.

Tug Jones in Hard Luck.

The tug *Alexander Jones* returned Friday night to Southport having missed the abondoned schooner *Annie T. Bailey* off Frying Pan lightship, for which she went on Thursday afternoon. The *Bailey* had been previously taken in tow Thursday by the Merchants' and Miners Transportation Company's steamer *Essex*, bound from Baltimore to Savannah, and carried to a point twelve miles off the Charleston lightship, from whence she was subsequently taken by the Charleston tug *Waban* into Charleston harbor. Second officer Turner, of the *Essex*; is in charge of her. The *Bailey* had lumber from Fernandina to Washington, D. C.

The *Jones* went out again for a cruise along the coast yesterday but up to last night she brought tidings of no further wrecks. With her mate, the *Blanche*, on the beach at Southport, the *Jones* is "playing in extremely hard luck."

The Local Cotton Market.

In sympathy with the New York and Liverpool quotations the local cotton market yesterday experienced an advance of one-eighth and the tone was firm. With the advance in prices comes increased receipts, 2,835 bales having been reported at the Produce Exchange yesterday against 3,988 bales on the corresponding day in 1898. The quotations last year on November 4th were on a basis of only 4⅞ cents for middling—a difference in favor of the producer of two and three-eighths cents per pound.

The British steamship *Slingsby*, of 2,094 tons burthen, Capt. Morck, was cleared last night by Mr. J. H. Sloan for Bremen, Germany, with a cargo of 10,094 bales of cotton, 5,022,941 pounds, valued at $376,720.

A Preacher's Rebuke.

The Richmond *Times* of last Sunday comments approvingly upon Rev. John Stanly Thomas' preface to a recent sermon delivered at the Suffolk city hall on modern pulpitering, which has been widely copied and endorsed by a number of leading journals in several States. Rev. Mr. Thomas is well known and deservedly popular in Wilmington, and his friends will learn with gratification that his sermons—fearlessly and eloquently delivered as they are—are earning for him a widespread reputation and that they are accomplishing much good in his newly chosen field.

Barque Johanne.

The Norwegian barque *Johanne*, Capt. Thorsen, which was slightly injured during the recent storm while at quarantine at the Cape Fear station, was yesterday towed by the *Marion* to Paterson, Downing & Co.'s naval stores yard, where she will begin loading. The underwriters' agent was here yesterday and a board of survey was held, the report of which will be made to the owners. It can, however, be definitely stated that she will repair here and will be delayed very little by reason of her accident. She is consigned to Messrs. Heide & Co.

Sociable Wednesday Evening.

One of the pleasant events announced for the coming week is a sociable, which will be given at Hibernian Hall next Wednesday evening for the benefit of St. Thomas church. Arrangements for the affair are in the hands of a competent committee, which is sparing no pains to make it equal if not excel all previous entertainments of this kind which have been attended in years past with the greatest of success. Refreshments will be served and an admission fee of twenty-five cents for adults and ten cents for children will be charged.

Magistrate's Court.

Justice McGowan investigated four cases in his court yesterday, two of the offenders, Wm. Howe and Joseph Johnson, having been recognized in the sum of $25 each for their appearance at Criminal Court to answer to the charges of assault and battery with deadly weapons. Newton Haywood, colored, was required to give bond for the support of his family.

We respectfully call your attention to the fact

that we have recently added to our scientific optical appliances, an improved REFRACTOMETER. This instrument is of unquestionable accuracy in detecting and correcting errors of refraction, whether MANIFEST OR LATENT,—and in conjunction with our optical apparatus, enables us to perform the test with greater comfort and dispatch than by any other known means. If your eyes are troubling you, let us examine them. If Glasses are needed we can give you just what you require, mounted in frames to suit. We guarantee every pair of Lenses we prescribe.

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of the Eye by the appliance of the latest improved scientific methods.

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To Be Repaired at Once.

Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of the New Hanover Transit Company, visited Carolina Beach yesterday and inspected the damage done to the company's railroad track on the beach. He and Mr. Hans A. Kure looked into the situation, and Mr. McQueen tells a STAR representative that he thinks the track can be replaced and the damage to the road can be repaired for $600.

At a meeting of the company on Tuesday night it was determined to repair the railroad from the river pier to its terminus on the beach. Mr. McQueen says the work will be commenced at once, so the rails that were carried by the high water into the sound can be gotten out before cold weather sets in.

The terrible work of the storm undaunts the company and nothing will be left undone to rehabilitate this popular seaside resort by the time the next season opens.

Funeral of Mr. Z. Hursey.

The funeral of Mr. Z. Hursey, whose death at his home No. 524 South Front street on Friday was announced in the STAR yesterday, will be held from Fifth Street Methodist Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. John H. Hall, the pastor, officiating.

Mr. Hursey was for a long time indentified with the fishing interests around Wilmington, and leaves a wife as the only member of his immediate family. Stonewall Jackson Castle No 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of which he was a member, will attend the funeral in a body. The interment will be at Bellevue.

Piano Recital.

At Shurbert Hall yesterday the customary Saturday recital by the pupils of Mise Cannie Chasten, proved to be as pleasant and successful as usual. The programme was skillfully rendered as follows:

Mazurka, (Streleski.) Isabel Yopp,
"Swiss Song," (Pacher.) Bessie Lodor.
Confidence' (Mendelssohn.) Irene Peterson.
"Sleep My Angel," (Watchman.) Bessie Montgomery.
Sonata op 2 No. 3, (Beethoven.) James C. Craft.

Fishblate Clothing Company.

The Fishblate Clothing Company hope to remove into their elegant new store room in the Masonic Temple this week, and promise their patrons to give them due notice of an elaborate opening, which will be given when they are comfortably installed in their new quarters. In the meantime the closing out sale is going merrily on at the old stand, and at the opening a fresh and bright stock of all the newest fads in men's wear will be shown.

Mayor's Court.

Only three offenders were arraigned in the municipal court yesterday. H. C. Fisher was charged with disorderly conduct, but was dismissed. George Davis for the same offence was given twenty days. Charles Thompson, a tramp, was escorted to the city limits and told to "move." He was picked up in a drunken condition Friday afternoon by Hall Officer H. H. Woebse.

— Five marriage licenses were issued during the past week—four to colored couples and one to white persons.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

There Will Be a Sociable

Wednesday evening, November 8th, at Hibernian Hall, for the benefit of St. Thomas' Church.

Refreshments will be served.

Admission 25c; children 10c. su we no 5 2t

Attention Members.

Stonewall Jackson Castle No 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle: You are hereby notified to appear at Castle Hall this (Sunday) afternoon at 2 o'clock to attend funeral of Brother Z. Hursey. Members of Concordia Castle No 1 cordially invited to attend. G. J. BEACH, Noble Chief.
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OPERA HOUSE.

One Week, Commencing

MONDAY, NOV. 6.

Idol of the South,

MABEL PAIGE,

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MARSHALL'S MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY.

18 —COMEDIANS, DANCERS, SINGERS— 18

Ladies free Monday if accompanied by a paid ticket purchased before 6 P. M. Monday. Prices, 10, 20, 30 cents. nov 5 tf

NOTICE.

Special

Week of Bargains

COMMENCING

Monday, November 6, 1899.

Too Busy to Quote Prices, so come and see for yourself.

Millinery, Dress Goods, Cloaks, Capes and Fancy Goods.

Taylor's Bazaar,

118 Market street.

Owing to our present quarters being overcrowded, we have rented the entire building at 108 Market street, for our

Toys and Holiday Goods,

and have plenty of room to store goods selected now and sent home when desired.

Stop and Look at our Toy Department

at 108 Market street.

nov 5 tf

Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON N. C.

Capital - - - - -	$ 125,000
Surplus & Profits	100,000
Deposits - - - - -	1,084,000
Total Assets - - -	1,353,000

Stands First

on the Honor Roll of National Banks in Wilmington as to strength,

and

Leads the State in Deposits and Assets,

But

We want more business and accounts, no matter whether large or small.

J. W. NORWOOD, PRESIDENT.
LEE H. BATTLE, CASHIER.

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All this week

I will have daily consignments of

The Choicest Fruits

and the most elegant selections in

Fine Candies.

Our Holiday Goods are beginning to arrive, and the new customers being made at my store daily is astonishing come petitors.

Let me have your orders and you are assured of satisfaction.

J. W. PLUMMER, Jr., 204 Princess street.
Inter-State 'Phone 132. nov 5 tf

They Look Well.

I take pleasure in calling your attention to the residence of Mr. E. S. Martin, 520 Dock street; Mr. Joe D. Smith's, Third and Walnut streets, and Mr. A. David's, Seventh and Market streets. All these houses have just been painted with "Harrison's" Celebrated Paints, Oils, Varnish, Wood and Varnish Stains.

C. D. MAFFITT, SOLE AGENT,
Grocer and Ship Chandler, 105 North Water street.

He carries a full stock.

Bell 'Phone 45. Inter-State 37. nov 5 tf

A MAN'S SHIRT

MAY BE OUT OF SIGHT,

but if it isn't comfortable he has very little peace Shirt-making is a science. Everybody can't make good Shirts any more than everybody can write a book. We have always

Prided ourselves on the superiority of our Shirts,

and it's a reputation we hope to maintain until the end of the chapter.

Come to us for genuine Shirt satisfaction.

VONGLAHN & GIBSON.

nov 5 tf

PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, $5.00 year, $2.50 for six months, $1.25 for three months, 50 cents for one month to mail subscribers. Delivered to city subscribers at the rate of 45 cents per month for any period from one month to one year.

ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY)—One square one day, $1.00; two days, $1.75; three days, $2.50; four days, $3.00; five days, $3.50; one week, $4.00; two weeks, $6.50; three weeks, $8.50; one month, $10.00; two months, $17.00; three months, $24.00; six months, $40.00; twelve month, $60.00. Ten lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square.

THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1.00 per year, 60 cents for six months, 30 cents for three months.

All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, &c., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actually published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any price.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

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Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death. Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per square for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 5.

OUR FOREIGN TRADE.

In addition to considering other matters in which the Southern Cotton Spinners are interested they, at their meeting in Charlotte Thursday, expressed their views as to what policies the government should pursue to foster, extend and secure permanence for our trade with other countries, but especially with the densely peopled East, for dominance in the trade of which European nations are planning and working. These views are expressed in the following resolutions:

"*Resolved*. That we urge upon the President of the United States and our Senators and Representatives in Congress, the following measures: 1. The preservation of the integrity of the Chinese Empire, of all our treaty rights with that Empire and the maintenance of an open door policy in China with the commerce of all nations 2 Vigorous prosecution of the Philippine war to a conclusion and the restoration of order in that territory by our government. 3. Construction, without delay of an isthmian ship canal. 4. Construction of a cable from the Pacific coast to Hawaii, Japan, China, and Philippines and other Oriental points.

"*Resolved*, That we consider that a large degree of the importance of the last three items lies in the value of those measures in accomplishing the first item and in protecting our trade in China and other Eastern countries

"*Resolved*, That we recommend, if it be necessary, co operation of our Government with England and Japan to preserve and protect a common trade interest and treaty rights for unrestricted commerce in China and other Eastern countries.

Resolved. That we recommend to Congress such revision of our navigation laws as will follow the development of our merchant marine service to an extent to handle our expanding commerce.

"*Resolved*. That we recommend to Congress such increase in our navy as will make it fully adequate to protect our commerce in all seas and in all parts of the world."

There is no politics in these; they are all business, and while they were presented by a man who believes in expansion—territorial expansion—they refrain from expressing any opinion on that subject.

Item one is all right. This Government should do all it can for the preservation of the integrity of the Chinese empire, with a view to preventing it from being dismembered and appropriated by other nations, which will close the doors upon us and monopolize its trade themselves, as Russia, Germany and France are planning and working to do. No nation which happens to have power enough to intimidate the timid Chinese should be permitted to exercise that power to the detriment of other nations, which do not resort to such methods to secure a foothold for their trade. If trade ever be worth fighting for then to prevent this, the nations that are interested in not being crowded out would be justified in combining to prevent by force if necessary what friendly remonstrance or energetic protest failed to accomplish. The doors of China should stand open, and the nations which seek trade without land grabbing should insist upon that.

Item two is right, for if war is to be waged in the Philippines it should be vigorously waged. The more vigorously waged the sooner it will be over and the sooner and easier law and order and stable government can be established, and the better it will be for all concerned. But it should not be taken for granted that vigorous war is the only way to accomplish this until other methods have been tried and failed beyond question. Vigorous war is not inconsistent with such generous concessions as might obviate the necessity of vigorous war, and bring peace, without dishonor and without unnecessary sacrifice of life and expenditure of money.

Item three is eminently sound, so sound that it has been anticipated and endorsed by nearly every commercial body in the country. It is as sure as night follows day that if we are to build up a trade of any magnitude in the far Eastern countries we must have a short way to reach them, and a way over which this Government will have a protecting supervision and control. We can't send our goods across the Atlantic, and through the Suez Canal, and then successfully compete with other nations which are nearer to the Canal and have no ocean to cross. If one half the money had been expended on that enterprise that has been expended in the purchase and effort to secure possession of the Philippines that waterway would have been opened before this and our exporters might now be shipping millions of dollars worth annually of their goods in addition to what they are selling. There is more in this for the commerce of this country and for the cotton manufacturers of the South than there is in all territorial expansion in the far East ever dreamed of.

Equally sensible as this is, the resolution urging the revision of the navigation laws to foster the development of our merchant marine, for if we are to become a commercial nation in the true sense and independent we must have ships of our own that we can send to and fro freighted with what we have to send abroad and what we want to bring back, and not be compelled to hire the ships of other and rival nations, paying tribute to their foreign owners, to whom we have already paid enough to build as fine a merchant marine as this or any country would ever need.

As our trade expands and our interests grow in other countries we must, of course, have a navy sufficiently formidable to command respect, and to enforce respect where that might not be willingly accorded, and this emphasizes the force of the item urging the construction of an isthmian canal, for that would be equivalent to a large addition to our navy, because by opening such a waterway our naval force could be quickly massed for service wherever needed, and the ships in one ocean would not be forced to sail fourteen thousand miles of sea to coasts where they may be needed.

The key to the expansion of our commerce in the East and its permanence lies in the construction of that canal.

WHAT EXPANSION COSTS.

The following summary of the report of Adjutant General Corbin, will give some idea of what forcible expansion costs, and we are not through with the business yet by a good deal. We clip from the New York *Sun*:

"Of the regular army there is a total of 64,586 officers and enlisted men, consisting of 10 regiments of cavalry, 7 regiments of artillery, 25 regiments of infantry and nearly 2,000 Indian scouts and recruits. The volunteer army, including the 24 regiments of infantry, 1 of cavalry and the Porto Rico battalion, has 34,574 officers and men. This makes a grand total of 99 160 officers and men in the service. Of this number 34 229 are in the United States, 3 363 in Porto Rico, 11,187 in Cuba, 32 315 in the Philippine Islands, 17 099 on the way to Manila, 499 in Alaska and 466 in Hawaii. It is expected that by Dec. 1 next all the infantry regiments of volunteers now in the United States will have sailed for Manila. Gen. Corbin says that these, with the troops now there, will give a total strength of 2,117 officers, and 63, 608 enlisted men, an aggregate of 65,-725.

"General Corbin gives a statement showing the monthly losses from all causes in the regular army between May 1. 1898 and June 30, 1899. It shows 24 officers killed in action, 7 died of wounds, 51 of disease, 15 resigned, 1 dismissed and 4 from casualties. Of the enlisted men, 8,887 were discharged by reason of expiration of service, 2 102 discharged for disability, 270 killed in action, 114 died of wounds, 1 524 of disease, 72 of accidents, 48 were drowned, 32 committed suicide, 3 036 deserted and 109 officers and 1,-586 men were wounded. The average strength of the army during this time was 60,000. A similar statement of the volunteer army shows 17 officers killed in action, 114 died of disease, 6 casualties, 1 suicide and 3 of wounds Of the enlisted men 188 were killed in action, 78 died of wounds, 3,820 of disease, 177 of casualties, 20 of suicide. 88 officers and 1,178 men were wounded.

Of a total of 62,175 men, exclusive of the Hospital corps, enlisted during the past fiscal year, 53,024 were native born, 9,151 foreign birth; 56,154 were white, 6,001 colored and 20 Indians; 43,780 were new enlistments and 18,395 reenlistments; 147, 669 applicants were rejected; 3,177 were rejected as aliens and 5,174 for illiteracy. Gen. Corbin recommends an increase of 33⅓ per cent in the pay of all officers below the grade of Brigadier General while on duty outside the United States; the retirement of all enlisted men on their own application after a service of twenty-five years instead of thirty years; the extension of the jurisdiction of garrison and regimental courts; the granting of increased rank and pay of officers while serving abroad as military attaches and increased pay for non-commissioned officers. He says that the necessity for fully equipped camp grounds, one each for the North, South, East and West, is very great. He recommends that a special appropriation for this purpose be made at an early day.

SILK CULTURE.

A short while ago we wrote something on the progress of the silk manufacturing industry in the United States, notably in Pennsylvania, where the industry has attained large proportions, almost taking the place of iron-making in some counties, where that industry had ceased to be profitable. Very little, too little to be worth mentioning, of the silk manufactured is produced in this country, notwithstanding the efforts that have been made to stimulate an interest in it, the impression being that it is a troublesome and uncertain business in which there is little profit, and consequently offering little inducement to engage in it. But it seems that silk is cultivated in South Carolina, and pays well, too, as shown by the following, which we clip from the Charleston *News and Courier:*

"In his letter, which is printed today, General McCrady reports the interesting fact that a planter in St. Thomas' parish, near Charleston, has achieved a very notable success in silk culture, his annual income from that source amounting to from $6,000 to 8,000, and that some of his neighbors, instructed and encouraged by his example, have made as much as $800 to $1,000 a year from the same product as a 'by crop,' and 'without neglecting other plantation work.'

"Some interesting particulars regarding the quality of the product are added, which we need not repeat here as the letter speaks for itself, but it is worthy of especial note that that the industry is so far from exacting scientific or skilled labor in all its departments, as is generally supposed, that it is stated that 'little negro children' have been safely intrusted with the work of feeding the worms—on the proper performance of which important labor, of course, the success of the industry wholly depends.

"Without going very far into the subject to-day, it may be suggested for the consideration of any of our planters or farmers, who are casting about for new crops to engage their attention, that one which permits of the successful employment of the very 'cheap labor' of little negro children, and which, even as a 'side crop,' not interfering with the other work of the farm, yields an annual return of $800 to $8 000, according to the attention that is spared to it, is not a crop to be neglected in these hard times.

"Gen. McCrady explains, incidentally, it is true, that the experimental crops which he reports were not made this year, or last year, but nearly two hundred years ago, by Governor Sir Nathaniel Johnson and his near neighbors and contemporaries; but the fact remains the same—that silk culture has been thoroughly tried, and proved eminently successful and profitable, in South Carolina—in both Charleston and Abbeville counties—and the conditions are at least as favorable to its success now as they were in 1707. It might be worth while to try it again."

If silk can be successfully and profitably produced in South Carolina why can't it be in North Carolina, where we should suppose the conditions quite as favorable? We have already one silk manufactory in this State—at Fayetteville—with a prospect of others, and this should be an inducement for our farmers to give some attention to silk culture, because it will give them a home market for what they produce. The experiment is, as the *News and Courier* remarks, worth trying.

COMPARISON IN POPULATIONS.

When we speak of China containing a population of between 350,-000,000 and 400,000,000 it is hard to realize what this means until comparison is made with other countries which are reasonably well populated. In view of the attention which China has attracted as a prospective market for the manufactured and other products of this country the following comparison of populations will be interesting, and show what a full swing of the markets of that country means:

	Area. (sq miles)	Population.
Hupeh	70.450	33.365.005
Ohio and Indiana	76 670	5,864 720
Honan	65,104	23.115.827
Missouri	68.735	2 679 184
Chehkiang	39,150	11,588,692
Kentucky	40.000	1.858 635
Kiangsi	72,176	24,534,118
Kentucky and Tennessee	81.750	3,629 252
Kweichow	64,554	7,669,181
Virginia and West Virginia	64 770	2,418.774
Yunnon	107,969	11,721,576
Michigan and Wisconsin	111,880	3 780 760
Fuhkien	38 480	23,000,000
Ohio	40 760	3 872 216
Chile	58,949	17,937,000
Georgia	58,980	1 837.353
Shantung	65.104	36,248 000
New England	62.000	4 700 945
Shansi	56,368	12.211 453
Illinois	56 000	3 826 851
Shensi	67.300	8.432.193
Nebraska	76.840	1.058.910
Kanshu	125 450	9 285 377
California	155 980	1 208.130
Szeshuan	166,800	67,712 897
Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky	173.430	11 350 209
Nan Whei	48 461	20 596 288
New York	47,620	5 997.853
Kiangsu	44,500	20 905,171
Pennsylvania	44 985	5 258.014
Kwangtung	79 456	29 706 249
Kansas	81.700	1,427 096
Kwangsi	78 250	5,551.327
Minnesota	79,205	1, 01.826
Zhingkiang	43 000	6 000 000
Louisiana	45 000	1,118.569

BOOK NOTICES.

The reader who enjoys solid matter will find the *North American Review* for November a very interesting and valuable number, containing as it does a large number of very thoughtful articles. Address North American Review, No 11 Warren street, New York.

The *Eclectic Magazine*, for November, presents twenty six selections from the leading European periodicals, covering a wide range of subjects, in which the reader will find much to interest him, from which he may derive a good deal of information. Published by E. R Pelton, New York.

McClure's Magazine for November leads off with a very interesting paper entitled "Two Thousand Miles in the Antarctic ice," giving a very interesting account of that region. There is also an interesting paper on the "Chinese Eastern Railway," with other articles on a variety of subjects. All handsomely illustrated. Published by The S. S. McClure Publishing Company, 141 145 East 25th street, New York.

—"The significant featue of Wednesday's conference of the Philippines commission," it is reported from Washington, "was the revelation that the commission is absolutely unanimous in its view respecting the proper line of treatment of the islands." As the President appointed the commission this news is scarcely surprising. One of the members of the commission, Admiral Dewey, is on public record, however, as holding the Filipinos to be superior to the Cubans and more fit to govern themselves. There is no rubbing out that authoritative declaration.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

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Get the genuine. Refuse substitutes.
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Dr. Bull's Pills cure Dyspepsia. Trial, 20 for 5c.

LOVE'S ARDOR.

NEWT NEWKIRK.

When God made you, His touch was one of love;
His molds were flawless and His clay as fine
And pure and white as His own throne above;
He filled your veins with blood like rich, red wine—
When God made you.

When God made you He put into your eyes
A witching, winsome love light just as deep
And blue and sweet as that in His own skies;
Ah, pity 'tis to veil such eyes in sleep—
When God made you

When God made you He plucked the pinkest rose
That He could find in heaven's paradise,
And to your cheeks, before pure white like snow,
The petals gave their blush in sacrifice—
When God made you.

When God made you He took a magic brush,
And to those matchless lips he gave a touch
Of fadeless carmine, warmed by blood's red rush,
Whose pressured caress could I feel too much—
When God made you.

When God made you He took a sunbeam's shaft,
And, crushing it into a dust of gold,
He threw it to the gentle winds to waft
It thro' the meshes of your hair's soft fold—
When God made you.

When God made you an angel, Cupid shot
A golden arrow swift across the skies;
It scarcely grazed your cheek, but there was wrought
A dimple far too sweet for mortal eyes—
When God made you.

When God made you He made you, sweet, for me,
Did not God know the future at your birth?
Unworthy as I am, my love for thee
Is deep and true, for well I know thy worth—
When God made you.

When God made you and made you, love, for me,
Think you that He will keep us long apart?
Ah, no! Our loves will ever greater be
Than they are now, when we have but one heart—
When God made you.
—*Ohio State Journal.*

APPOINTMENTS

For Visitation by the Bishop of East Carolina.

November 8th, Wednesday, Emmanuel, Farmville.

November 12th, Sunday, twenty-fourth after Trinity, M. P., Holy Innocent's, Lenoir county.

November 13th, Sunday, twenty-fourth after Trinity, E. P., St. Mary's, Kinston.

November 16th, Thursday, Dawson's School House.

November 19th, Sunday, twenty-fifth after Trinity, M. P., St. John's, Pitt county.

November 21st, Tuesday, E. P., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 22d, Wednesday, Com., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. P., Trinity, Chocowinity.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E M., St. Peter's, Washington.

November 30th, Thursday, Thanksgiving, M. P., Zion Church, Beaufort county.

December 3d, Sunday, first in Advent, M. P., St. Martin's, Hamilton.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, M. P., St. Peter's, Gates county.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, E. P., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 11th, Monday, Com., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 13th, Wednesday, St. Barnabas', Murfreesboro

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, M. P. St Mark's, Roxobel.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, E. P., Grace Church, Woodville

December 21st, Thursday Fest, St Thomas, St. Thomas', Windsor.

December 24th, Sunday, fourth in Advent, M. P, Advent, Williamston.

December 25th, Christmas, Grace, Plymouth.

December 31st, Sunday after Christmas, St Thomas', Atkinson.

M. P., morning prayer; E. P., evening prayer.

Holy communion at all morning services.

The children catechised when practicable.

The vestries will pleased be prepared to meet the bishop.

Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The Sultan of Sulu is being talked about in the most shocking manner by the Ohio politicians. When the Ohio politician becomes virtuously indignant, he can make heaps of noise.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—The humane treatmen accorded to wounded prisoners of war in South Africa is highly gratifying to the entire civilized world. Both British and Boers are giving injured captives medical and surgical treatment similar to that received by their own wounded, with the result that each feels confidence in the humanitarian impulses of the enemy. Messages expressive of gratitude have been exchanged by medical officers of the opposing armies.—*Baltimore Herald, Ind.*

—The Boers thus far certainly seem to have been "too many" for British, in strategy as well as in numbers, but the end is not yet. The Burghers are certain to be overwhelmed sooner or later. Buller has arrived at Cape Town, and in a few weeks will have a force of 90,000 men, with which to wreak vengeance. Moreover, he has the reputation of being a man of no half-way measures. The Transvaalers are still to be commiserated. — *Richmond Dispatch, Dem.*

— Tarboro *Southerner*: The mill at Shiloh was stopped yesterday by eels. They were making their way from the mill pond to the river and were caught in the turbine wheel. The small ones passed through without difficulty. Some of the larger ones were cut in pieces in the attempt and finally so many large ones found their way into the wheel at the same time that it stopped turning. Dr. Staton reports the eels as large as his wrist.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Elizabeth City *Economist:* Two large oyster packing houses have been completed and two more in the course of construction. There will be a large consumption of oysters at this point.

—Monroe *Journal*: Mr. John L. Walsh, formerly of Monroe, died at the home of his father, Mr. John H. Walsh, at Rockingham, Tuesday morning, of consumption. He was in the 32nd year of his age.

— Pittsboro *Record*: We regret to hear of the death of Mr. Elijah Brewer, of Bear Creek township. He was over seventy years old an was a gallant Confederate soldier, having been a member of Co. E, 26th N. C. regiment, which was immortalized at Gettysburg.

— Sanford *Express*: We are yet to find a Democrat in this section who is opposed to the Constitutional Amendment. They all favor it and expect to see it carried by a big majority. We have heard that some Republicans in this section would support the Amendment.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer:* Mrs. Jennie May, who lives with her grandson, Mr. C. H. May, near Morven, is quite a remarkable old lady. She is 90 years old, in vigorous health, reads without glasses and has the full possession of all her faculties. She is a native of Scotland, but came to this country when a little girl.

— Newbern *Journal:* The cutter Boutwell returned Friday from a cruise in Pamlico Sound. A satisfactory report was brought back that the storm did little damage at Ocracoke or Portsmouth, as had been feared. The wind was in a direction that did not have the same effect on the tide as in August. This was predicted by boatmen here early in the week, and it seems they were correct.

— Charlotte *News*: A fatal accident occurred in Lemley's township Thursday afternoon, which caused the death of Edward Henderson, one of the county's oldest and best citizens. Mr. Henderson's home is near Bethel Church. Yesterday afternoon he decided to have a large walnut tree that stood in his front yard cut down. He was standing near the base of the tree while the men plied the axe. Just as the tree began to fall, Mr. Henderson, thinking he was getting out of the way, walked almost under the falling tree. A large limb struck him on the head and back, carrying him to the ground with it. At first it was thought that he was killed instantly. When he was extracted from the mass of broken branches, there were some signs of returning life. He was quickly taken into the house and a messenger was sent in post haste for a physician. Those of Mr. Henderson's household did everything in their power to revive him but before the physician came the old gentleman had passed into the great beyond.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Virtue is like a rich stone, best plain set.—*Bacon.*

— Pride is increased by ignorance; those assume the most who know the least.—*Gay.*

— Those must needs be well kept that they have the Lord for their keeper.—*Matthew Henry.*

— He surely is most in want of another's patience who has none of his own.—*Lavateux.*

— Vanity keeps persons in favor with themselves who are out of favor with all others.—*Shakespeare.*

— The Sabbath is the core of our civilization, dedicated to thought and reverence. It invites to the noblest solitude and to the noblest society.

— He that can not forgive others breaks the bridge over which he must pass himself; for every man has need to be forgiven.—*Lord Herbert.*

— The desire to be known of men is destructive to all true greatness, nor is there any honor worth calling honor but what comes from an unseen small in the eyes of men.—*McDonald.*

— It is the function of faith, when we have done what we can, to put all into the Divine hands, giving ourselves no anxiety, while we go forward in peace and confidence to the next duty that waits.—*Presbyterian Observer.*

— Selfishness is a vice; self-love is a virtue. Selfishness is the root of all vice; then vice increases selfishness, and selfiness in turn leads on to more and greater vice. Selfishness and sin act and react one upon the other. Self love, on the contrary, is a virtue and the foundation of all virtue, of all religion, of all spirituality.—*Christian Standard.*

— No minister, no church, may sit calmly down in the fond delusion that, given the right kind of a preacher and the right kind of a message, the people will crowd their aisles. The average minister and the average church must remember that the invitation, however faithfully delivered, must be followed up by hard work, and lots of it, in order that the feast may have guests in abundance.—*The Interior.*

TWINKLINGS.

— Simpson — "Why didn't you take a chance at that cake at the church fair? Were you afraid?" Sampson—"Yes; it was one my wife baked."

— Conductor—"How old is that child, madam?" Mother—"You have no right to ask such an impertinent question." Conductor—"Excuse me, but it is a fare question."

— "Whenever Jimason starts to tell a story he says: 'Maybe you've heard this before.'" "Then What?" "I always say I have." "Well?" "Well, then he tells it just the same."

— Uncle Hiram—"You've heard of them Christian Scientists that claim they can cure anything, haven't you?" Aunt Hetty—"Oh, yes. They've got out some new patent medicine, haven't they?"

— "Why, Harry, what is the matter?" asked a lady of her small nephew who was crying bitterly. "M-mamma whipped m-me," sobbed the little fellow, "an' I'm cryin' c-cause I wasn't b-born an orphan."

— "Why don't you get a pair of mittens for your dolly?" asked one little girl of another. "'Cause," replied the other, "if I did then I could not make believe it's the cold that makes her fingers stiff."

—"George," murmured the young wife, "am I as dear to you now as I was before we married?" "I can't exactly tell," replied the husband, absent-mindedly; "I didn't keep any account of my expenses then."

— Mrs. Neighbors—"I advertised for a plain cook last week, but didn't receive a single reply." Mrs. Next door—"Take my advice and advertise for a good-looking kitchen lady and you'll be overrun with applications for the position."

— Wonderful Development. — Watts.—"The development of the sense of touch in the blind is something always a wonder to me." Gotrox—"I have it pretty well developed myself. I have got so I can tell a borrower two blocks away."—*Indianapolis Journal*

He Meant It.

"The senator said he would not talk for publication," said the reporter as he hung up his hat.

"Do you think he meant it?" asked the city editor.

"I am sure he did. The language he used was utterly unfit for publication."—Indianapolis Journal.

And No Better.

"These resolutions are convenient things."

"Yes, they are. You can break 'em all with the satisfaction of knowing that you can make a lot more just as good."—Syracuse Herald.

A Hindoo believing in the transmigration of souls, ate no animal food, because in destroying even a worm he might be destroying the body occupied by an ancestor. A traveler coming upon the Brahmin taking his vegetable meal, told him it was impossible to avoid destruction of animal life and, to prove it, focused a microscope on the fruit the Brahmin was eating. That pious person drew back horrified at the living forms he saw. What did he do? Throw away the fruit? Not he! He smashed the microscope and went on with his meal.

There are people who are suffering with weak lungs. They have an obstinate cough, are weak, emaciated, hopeless. They have been taught there's no hope for them. Some one puts into their hands one of Dr. Pierce's books or advertisements and through this medium they see healthy, happy men and women, who declare that their lungs had been weak, they had been racked by coughs, had been emaciated, feeble, hopeless, and were positively and permanently cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. These cures can be numbered by scores of thousands.

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☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

BAGGING—	
2 ℔ Jute	6½@6¾
Standard	16¼@6¾
Burlaps	5 @6¼
WESTERN SMOKED—	
Hams ℔ ℔	12 @12¼
Sides ℔ ℔	@6¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔	@6
DRY SALTED—	
Sides ℔ ℔	5½@5¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔	@5¼
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—	
Second-hand, each	1 25 @1 35
New New York, each	@1 40
New City, each	@1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	@23
BRICKS—	
Wilmington ℔ M	5 00 @7 00
Northern	9 00 @14 00
BUTTER—	
North Carolina ℔ ℔	20 @22
Northern	25 @30
CORN MEAL—	
Per bushel, in sacks	@47½
Virginia Meal	@47½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	@1 15
CANDLES—℔ ℔—	
Sperm	13 @25
Adamantine	8 @11
CHEESE—℔ ℔—	
Northern Factory	15 @16
Dairy Cream	@15
State	13 @14
COFFEE—℔ ℔—	
Laguyra	12½@15
Rio	7 @9
DOMESTICS—	
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	@5¼
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s	@70
EGGS—℔ dozen	12½@15
FISH—	
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00 @30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl	11 00 @15 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ barrel	16 00 @18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl	8 00 @9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00 @14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	4 00 @4 50
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	@3 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00 @3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5 @10
" Extra	4 25 @4 50
FLOUR—℔ ℔—	
Low grade	@3 00
Choice	@3 50
Straight	3 90 @4 00
First Patent	4 25 @4 50
GLUE—℔ ℔	12½@15
GRAIN—℔ bushel—	
Corn, from store, bgs—White	52 @53½
Car-load, in bgs—White	@50
Oats, from store	38 @40
Oats, Rust Proof	@45
Cow Peas	55 @60
HIDES—℔ ℔—	
Green salted	@5½
Dry flint	10 @12½
Dry salt	@9
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s	
Clover Hay	85 @90
Rice Straw	40 @50
Eastern	80 @85
Western	80 @85
North River	80 @85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	3½@4
ILLUMINATING OILS—	
Diamond White, bbls ℔ gal	@11½
Alaudin Security "	@12¾
Pratt's Astral "	@13½
Carandine "	@13
LARD, ℔ ℔—	
Northern	7 @8
North Carolina	8 @10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15 @1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—	
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00 @20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00 @16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00 @18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00 @22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00 @15 00
Common mill	5 00 @6 50
Fair mill	6 50 @8 00
Prime mill	8 50 @10 00
Extra mill	10 00 @10 50
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—	
Barbadoes, in hogshead	@25
Barbadoes, in barrels	@28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28 @30
Porto Rico, in barrels	25 @30
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12 @14
Sugar House, in barrels	14 @15
Syrup, in barrels	15 @25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 80 @3 00
PORK, ℔ barrel—	
City Mess	10 00 @10 50
Rump	@9 50
Prime	@9 00
ROPE ℔ ℔	10 @22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum	@1 10
Liverpool	75 @80
American	70 @75
On 125 ℔ Sacks	@47½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00 @6 50
Common	1 60 @2 25
Cypress Sape	2 50 @2 75
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd	5¼@5¾
Standard A	4¾@5
White Extra C	@4¾
Extra C, Golden	@4¼
C, Yellow	@4⅛
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3½@4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00 @14 00
R. O. Hogshead	@10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	9 00 @10 00
Mill, Prime	7 50 @8 75
Mill, Fair	6 50 @7 00
Common Mill	5 00 @6 00
Inferior to ordinary	3 50 @5 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed	
℔ M 6x24 heart	7 50 @8 50
" Sap	5 00 @6 00
5x20 Heart	3 00 @3 50
" Sap	2 00 @2 50
6x24 Heart	6 00 @6 50
" Sap	5 00 @5 50
TALLOW, ℔ ℔—	@6
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1 00 @2 00
North Carolina	1 00 @60
WOOL, per ℔—Unwashed	15 @17

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 5, 1899.

STEAMSHIPS.

Wraggoe (Br), 1,838 tons, Rome, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Wandby (Br), 2,580 tons, Pearson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Alma, 144 tons, Small, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Johannes (Nor), 473 tons, Thorsen, H K Nash, for Paterson, Downing & Co.

BARGES.

Maria Dolores, 610 tons, Bonneau, Navassa Guano Co.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

M. E. Church, South, Wilmington District.

Bladen, Windsor, Nov. 4-5.
Clinton, Clinton, Nov. 11-12.
Onslow, Tabernacle, Nov. 18-19.
Burgaw, Burgaw, Nov. 24.
Kenansville, Wesley's Chapel, Nov. 25-26.
Magnolia, Rose Hill, Nov. 26.
Scott's Hill, Scott's Hill, Dec. 2-3.
Wilmington, Bladen Street (at night) Dec. 3.

R. F. BURRAS, Presiding Elder.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 4

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Sales at 47½ cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 47 cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for strained and $1.00 for good strained.

TAR—Market steady at $1.80 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.80 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady at 33½@33c; rosin dull at $1.05@1.10; tar steady at $1.05; crude turpentine quiet at $1.25 @1.90, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	198
Rosin	378
Tar	357
Crude Turpentine	43

Receipts same day last year.—140 casks spirits turpentine, 520 bbls rosin, 96 bbls tar, 21 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4 13-16 cts ℔ lb
Good Ordinary	6 3 16 " "
Low Middling	6 13-16 " "
Middling	7¼ " "
Good Middling	7⅝ " "

Same day last year middling 4⅞c.

Receipts—2,835 bales; same day last year, 3,988.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime 85c. Extra prime, 90c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, $1.05. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c.

CORN—Firm: 52 to 52½ cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tide-water) 90c@$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 9.00 per M

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 4.—Money on call firm at 4 per cent., last loan at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills 486⅞@487 for demand and 483@483¾ for sixty days. Posted rates were 484 and 488 Commercial bills 483¼. Silver certificates 58¼@59½. Bar silver 58½. Mexican dollars 47¼. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U S. 2's, reg'd, 101; U. S. 3's. reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108; U S. new 4's, regist'd, 129½; do. coupon 129½; U. S. old 4's, regist'd, 111¾; do coupon, 112½; U. S. 5's, registered 110⅝; do. coupon, 110⅝; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 104; Southern Railway 5's 108¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 53; Chesapeake & Ohio 28¼; Manhattan L 110½; N. Y. Central 137¼; Reading 21¼; do. 1st preferred 60½; St. Paul 126¼; do. preferred 171¼; Southern Railway 13½; do. preferred 57; American Tobacco, 121½

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A Farm of 250 acres four miles from Greenville, one mile from House station on the Atlantic Coast Line. One hundred and eighty-five acres cleared and in fine state of cultivation. One nice two-story dwelling with six rooms. One cook room and kitchen. One office. One set two-story stables with eight stalls. Two barns. Two tobacco barns. One 16-horse power engine, gin house, gin, press, etc. All necessary machinery attached. All kinds of farming implements, including wagons, carts, tools, etc. Also, four mules and one horse. Will sell all together or the land separate.

Farm of 143 Acres

In Long Creek village Pender county—25 acres cleared, balance well timbered. Four acres in strawberries, 2 acres in apple trees. Fine grape vine. Large two-story house. One good New Store House. All necessary out houses. Two tenant houses. Two miles from Montague, a station on Atlantic and Yadkin Railroad; sixteen miles from Wilmington. Fertile land, in a high state of cultivation. A bargain for somebody.

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Farm at Burgaw.

A desirable farm at Burgaw. The residence and about one-third of the farm within the corporate limits of the town. About twenty acres cleared; six acres in strawberries; one acre in fruit trees and grape vines. All necessary outbuildings. A nice desirable six-room residence. Farm contains 100 acres.

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A Real Bargain.

A desirable farm of 272 acres, three miles east of Rose Hill. Fifty acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, balance well timbered. Four-room house on premises. In good neighborhood. Will exchange for desirable house and lot in Wilmington.

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Dated and posted this 7th day of October, 1899.

R. D. TUCKER, Administrator,
310 N. Front St., Wilmington, N. C.

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The Road Grader.

The peculiar feature of a road grader is that it cuts away the dirt at the side of the road and draws it up into the middle, thus producing a ditch at each side and a slope in each direction from the center. At the same time it will cut away the dirt to just the proper depth and no deeper. In this particular its work differs from that accomplished by the use of plows, shovels or hand scrapers. The road grader leaves a smooth, regular surface, giving the road the proper contour. A dirt or gravel road can be put into excellent shape by running the grader repeatedly over it. Care should be taken first to remove brush and rubbish from the side of the road, that the grader may not carry it into the traveled roadway.

USELESS.

It is useless to mourn for the leaves that have fallen,
It is idle to grieve o'er the pall covered bier—
For the promises spoken,
The vows that were broken,
And the words of forgiveness we never can hear.

It is useless to mourn for the roses of summer
When the rude blasts of winter sweep over the plain,
But the gleam and the glinter
Of autumn and winter
Will be followed by summer again and again.

So let not the soul be o'erwhelmed by the shadow
That darkens forever each idolized dream;
Though our highest ambition
Never reaches fruition,
Our failures may not prove so great as they seem.

Go, say to the heart that is burdened with trouble,
And say to the soul that is down trodden now,
Though each joy has a sorrow,
So each night has a morrow,
And the coveted crown may yet circle thy brow.

—Boston Transcript.

MENU FOR TUESDAY.

Necessity compels the gods.—Anon.

BREAKFAST.
Peaches, Cream.
Liver Fried in Crumbs.
Broiled Tomatoes. Cress.
Toast. Coffee. Marmalade.

LUNCHEON.
Escaloped Oysters.
Tomato Salad. Cottage Cheese.
Tea. Hazlenut Cake.

DINNER.
Tomato Soup.
Fried Chicken. Lettuce Salad.
Potatoes. Escaloped Cauliflower.
Peach Cobbler.

LIVER FRIED IN CRUMBS.—Season slices with salt and pepper. Dip in beaten egg and very fine bread or cracker crumbs. Fry six minutes in boiling lard.

HAZLENUT CAKE.—Pound 10 ounces of blanched filberts with a teaspoon of orange water and half the white of an egg. When it is a good paste, mix with it four ounces of sifted flour, eight ounces of fine white sugar, the yolks of two eggs well beaten and the whites of four eggs beaten to a snow. When properly mixed, put in a mold well buttered, place in a moderately heated oven and let bake slowly to a light brown.

MENU FOR WEDNESDAY.

Shame is not in the loss of other men's esteem; it is in the loss of our own.—Anon.

BREAKFAST.
Melons.
Boiled Rice. Broiled Kidneys.
Cress Salad. Tomatoes. Popovers.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Omelet with Tomatoes.
Sandwiches. Bacon. Salad.
Fruit. Cake.

DINNER.
Clam Broth.
Roast Ribs of Beef.
Cauliflower, Cream Sauce.
Rice Croquettes. Celery.
Charlotte Russe.

VANILLA TARTS.—Scald, blanch, dry and pound very fine four ounces of sweet almonds with four ounces of sugar and half of a vanilla bean, rub through a sieve and mix with an ounce of sifted flour. Beat six whites of eggs to a froth, add the sifted almonds and flour, mix well and put in a dozen little paste lined tart molds and bake in a moderately heated oven. Sprinkle the top with powdered sugar.

QUINCES A LA CONDE.—Open a can of quinces and heat the fruit at once in it. Drain the pieces and arrange on a socle of rice. Garnish with candied fruit or fresh small fruits of the season and make a border of little rice croquettes. Reduce the liquor with a glass of Madeira and any marmalade to a thick sirup and pour this over.

MENU FOR THURSDAY.

The soul's light is the star that burns forever in the heart of illimitable space.

BREAKFAST.
Porridge. Fruit.
Stewed Codfish. Bacon.
Rice Cakes. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Jellied Tongue.
Lettuce Sandwiches. Cottage Cheese.
Potato Salad.
Tea.

DINNER.
Bean Soup.
Cold Roast of Beef, Horse Radish Sauce.
Grape Jelly. Cheese. Celery.
Biscuits. Coffee.

JELLIED TONGUE.—Take a cold tongue, two ounces of gelatin dissolved in two gills of water, one teacup of brown veal gravy, one pint of liquor the tongue was cooked in, one tablespoon of sugar, one of burnt sugar, one gill of vinegar and one pint of boiling water. Put together the gravy, liquor, sugar, vinegar and the tablespoon of burnt sugar dissolved in cold water. Add the dissolved gelatin and mix well. Then add the boiling water and strain through a flannel. Cut the tongue in thin slices as for the table. Let the jelly cool and begin to thicken. Wet a mold with cold water. Put a little jelly into the bottom, then a layer of tongue and so on in alternate layers till all is used. Set the mold, well covered, in a cold place. To turn it out dip the mold in hot water for an instant and invert it on a dish. Garnish with celery sprigs and nasturtium flowers whenever possible. Cut with a thin, sharp knife perpendicularly. This is a great favorite for high teas, wedding and tennis parties, and besides the sweets may constitute the chief supper dish for a small party.

MENU FOR FRIDAY.

Better be hopeful in chains than resigned to their glitter.—Anon.

BREAKFAST.
Fried Fish. Crisp Bacon.
Potatoes au Gratin. Cress.
Sally Lunn. Honey.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Bouillon.
Sardine Salad. Olives.
Lettuce Sandwiches.
Tea. Cheese.

DINNER.
Pea Soup.
Baked Fish.
Macaroni, Tomato Sauce. Potatoes.
Tomato and Lettuce Salad.
Orange Jelly.

ESCALOPED FISH.—Remove the bones and skin from cold cooked fish and separate it into flakes. Butter a pudding dish, put in a layer of fish, then one of bread crumbs, and season with butter, pepper and salt. Alternate the layers of fish and crumbs until the dish is nearly full and then pour over the whole one cupful of rich milk, to which two well beaten eggs have been added, and bake a nice brown.

BLACKBERRY PUDDING.—Stir to a cream half a cupful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Add one cupful of milk and stir in 2½ cupfuls of flour, into which have been thoroughly mixed two heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Add the beaten whites of three eggs and finally one quart of berries. Put into a buttered dish and bake moderately for 45 minutes. Serve with a hot sauce.

MENU FOR SATURDAY.

How poor an instrument may do a noble deed!—Shakespeare.

BREAKFAST.
Melons.
Boiled Rice.
Savory Omelet. Broiled Tomatoes.
Muffins. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Cold Tongue.
Cabbage Salad. Brown Bread.
Iced Chocolate.

DINNER.
Boiled Leg of Mutton, Caper Sauce.
Creamed Potatoes. Beets.
Tomatoes, Mayonnaise Dressing.
Tapioca Pudding.

CABBAGE A LA ROUENNAISE (a soup).—Cut, wash and slice two green cabbages. Put them in a stewpan with three ounces of butter and fry till the moisture evaporates. Then add two quarts of seasoned beef broth. Cover and cook slowly two hours. Then bake light brown little rounds of French bread. Put them in a tureen and pour the cabbage soup above them.

COCOANUT DESSERT.—This very creole dish will find favor on our American tables. Peel and grate a cocoanut; make a sirup out of one pound of sugar and one pint of water. When the sirup has boiled five minutes, throw in the grated cocoanut and cook on a moderate fire half an hour more; stir in the beaten yolks of three eggs and a wineglassful of sherry.

Not His to Sell.

The Lawyer—You may not believe me, sir, but it is a fact.

The Client—But I know that lawyers never deal in facts. So why should I pay you for the facts you have found?—Pick Me Up.

Died Kicking.

"Did he protest against his fate?" asked the tenderfoot.

"Well," answered Alkali Ike, "he kicked a good deal after we swung him off the ground."—New York Vim.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Mary E Millis, executrix of the estate of J. W. Millis, deceased, vs. M. E. Millis et al., I will expose for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 14th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Court House of New Hanover county, in Wilmington, N. C., the following real estate in said city, to-wit:

1st. A tract beginning at the intersection of Ninth and Wooster streets, and running northwardly along 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along Wooster street to the beginning, being part of Lot No. 6, Block 66.

2d. A tract of land commencing 50 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 50 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 6.

3rd. A tract of land commencing 100 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 82 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 82 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 66.

4th. A tract beginning at a point in the northern line of Wooster street 182 feet west of the western line of 9th street, running thence west with said line of Wooster street 65 feet, thence northwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6, Block 660.

5th. A tract beginning in the northern line of Wooster street at a point 135 feet west of the western line of 11th street 66 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 10th street 66 feet thence eastwardly with the northern line of Wooster street 65 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6 Block 68.

6th. A lot beginning at a point in Lot 3, Block 38 84 feet from the western line of 9th street, running thence northwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 2 and 3, Block 38.

7th. A tract beginning at the northwestern intersection of Mulberry and 14th streets and running north with the western line of 14th street 101 feet, thence west parallel with Mulberry street about 80 feet to a drain or small branch, thence southeast and with the run of said drain or branch to the northern line of Mulberry street, thence with the northern line of Mulberry street east to the beginning, the same being less by 10 feet on 14th street than the whole Lot, and being the eastern end of Lot 5 and 6 in Block 470.

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Schedule in Effect Dec. 11, 1898.

Train 41—Leaves Wilmington 3:20 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:15 P. M., Pembroke 5:35 P. M., Maxton 6:06 P. M.- Laurinburg 6:23 P. M., Hamlet 6:53 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains for Monroe, Charlotte, Athens, Atlanta and all points South; and with trains for Raleigh, Portsmouth, Richmond, Washington and points North.

Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:48 A. M., Raleigh 3:36 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:20 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A.M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Raleigh 11:13 A. M., Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 5:00 P. M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 P. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolnton 9:22 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Rutherfordton 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:55 P. M. Arrives Shelby 6:05 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:10 P. M.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 noon. Arrives Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:15 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 2:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M., Washington 12:41 noon.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 P. M. Arrives Gibson 8:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 A. M. Arrives Hamlet 7.40 A. M.

Train 17—Leaves Hamlet 8:40 A. M. Arrives Cheraw 10:00 A. M. Returning, leaves Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M.

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ATLANTIC & YADKIN RAILWAY.

Schedule in Effect March 26th, 1899.

South Bound Daily No. 52	MAIN LINE.	North Bound Daily No. 53.
6 50 p m	Ar......Wilmington.....Lv	9 00 a m
3 50 p m	Lv......Fayetteville.....Ar	12 10 a m
3 45 p m	Ar......Fayetteville.....Lv	12 28 p m
2 30 p m	Lv.........Sanford.........Lv	1 43 p m
12 42 p m	Lv.........Climax.........Lv	3 44 p m
12 13 p m	Ar......Greensboro.......Ar	4 15 p m
11 55 a m	Ar......Greensboro.......Lv	4 25 p m
11 07 a m	Lv......Stokesdale.......Lv	5 12 p m
10 36 a m	Lv......Walnut Cove......Lv	5 44 p m
10 09 a m	Lv......Rural Hall.......Lv	6 13 p m
8 45 a m	Lv......Mt. Airy.........Ar	7 35 p m

South Bound Daily No. 64.	BENNETTSVILLE.	North Bound Daily No. 65.
8 00 a m	Lv.....Bennettsville.....Ar	7 15 p m
9 07 a m	Lv........Maxton.........Lv	6 15 p m
9 35 a m	Lv......Red Springs......Lv	5 35 p m
10 20 a m	Lv......Hope Mills.......Lv	4 52 p m
10 40 a m	Ar......Fayetteville.....Lv	4 33 p m

No. 46		No. 47.
South Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.	MADISON BRANCH.	North Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.
5 30 p m	Ar.......Ramseur.......Lv	6 40 a m
3 50 p m	Lv.......Climax.........Lv	8 25 a m
2 40 p m	Lv......Greensboro......Ar	9 17 a m
2 30 p m	Ar......Greensboro......Lv	9 35 a m
1 15 p m	Lv......Stokesdale......Ar	11 07 a m
12 30 p m	Lv.......Madison........Ar	11 55 a m

Connections at Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

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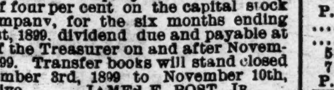

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Co.

The Board of Directors of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company have declared a dividend of four per cent on the capital stock of that company, for the six months ending October 31st, 1899, dividend due and payable at the office of the Treasurer on and after November 10th, 1899. Transfer books will stand closed from November 3rd, 1899 to November 10th, 1899, inclusive.

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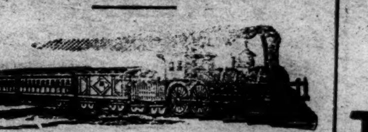

Schedule in Effect Sept. 26, 1899.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND

DAILY 9.45 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.19 A. M., Warsaw 11 33 A. M., Goldsboro 12.26 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.21 P. M., Richmond 7.20 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.00 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.34 P. M., Warsaw 8.48 P. M., Goldsboro 9.45 P. M., Wilson 10.38 P. M., †Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.38 P. M. Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.35 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.23 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M. New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.28 P. M Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.5 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M.. Tampa 6.05 P. M

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.40 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York *9.00 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.50 A. M. Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 10.00 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., †Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.21 P. M., Warsaw 4.12 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 9.40 A. M No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.30 A. M.. Philadelphia 12 09 P. M., Baltimore 2.25 P. M. Washington 3.46 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Petersburg 8.12 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.43 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M Leave Wilson 6.20 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.15 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M. Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.30 A M., Chadbourn 11.34 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.03 A. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9.00 A. M., arrives Fayetteville 12.15 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M. Returning leaves Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrives Fayetteville 3.45 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 3.50 P. M., arrives Wilmington 6.50 P. M.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 A. M., Maxton 9.20 A. M., Red Springs 9.53 A. M., Hope Mills 10.42 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.20 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.05 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.10 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Nashville 11.22 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.02 A. M., arrive Latta 10.24 A. M., Dillon 10.36 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 8.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.20 A. M.; arrive Hub 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 7.13 P. M., Manning 5.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 2.25 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.0? A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 3.00 P. M., Cheraw 4.45 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.58 P. M., 11.14 P. M., arrive Selma 2.50 P. M. 11.57 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M. Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 1.08 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.54 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.40 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.48 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.52 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.31 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.29 A. M., Creston 5.17 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.12 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.13 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P M Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 3.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

H. M. EMERSON,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.

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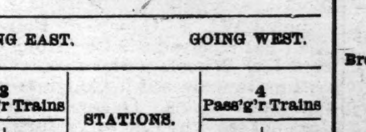
Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 9.



To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	3 Pass'g'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	4 Pass'g'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston..........	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern.........	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City..	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M. and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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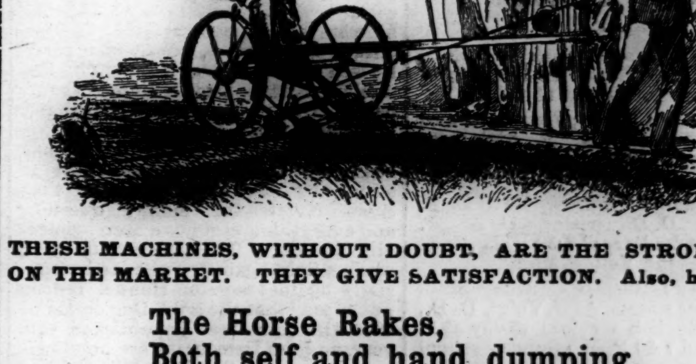

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 5.

OUR TRADE WITH CHINA.

The State Department Quietly Negotiating in Behalf of American Interests in the Flowery Kingdom.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 4.—For the past year, under instructions from the President, the State Department has been quietly negotiating for the consummation of American interests in China. The officials of the State Department flatly refuse to make any statement relative to the measure of success that has attended their efforts, though it is admitted that the subject is so far still open, although the prospects of ultimate success are regarded as highly encouraging.

A government official in high station, who has large experience in Chinese questions, is authority for the statement that our government does not apprehend any immediate injury to American interests from political moves that are made in China. On the contrary, the conditions are such in the Flowery Kingdom, that there is reason to believe that so far from restraining the operations of the United States in the matter of trade extension in that quarter, the European nations which have under one or another pretext seized upon portions of the Chinese coast, would actually welcome our advent as calculated to materially assist their own efforts to break down Chinese conservatism, and open up vast markets in the interior of China to the trade of civilized nations.

NEW PEANUT TRUST.

Efforts of Washington Capitalists to Combine Virginia Cleaners.

Norfolk *Landmark:* The peanut factories of three cities are to be controlled by Washington capitalists shortly, unless this deal, like all the peanut combines that have gone before this deal, is to die before it is finally consummated. The deal is said to comprise the Columbian Peanut Company, of Norfolk; the Nansemond Peanut Company, of Suffolk, and the establishments for cleaning the nuts which are located in Petersburg

It is stated that the stockholders in these factories will be paid 100 per cent advance on their holdings by the combine, agents of which, rumor in peanut circles states, have already closed with them. The currently reported capitalization of the new concern is five million dollars, which should give it, if the estimate is correct, a very fair working capital.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

There will be services in St. John's Church, corner Third and Red Cross, this Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

St. Thomas' Church; First mass and holy communion. 7 A. M., high mass and sermon, 10.30 A. M. Vespers 7.45 P. M.

First Baptist Church, Rev. C. S. Blackwell D. D., pastor, 11 A. M. "Christian Idolatry;" 7:30 P. M, "The Strength of the Young Man."

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor. English services to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school at 3:30 P. M.

St. James Church, 23rd Sunday after Trinity. Services to-day: 11 A. M., litany, sermon, the holy communion; 5 P. M., evening prayer. Sunday school at 3.45 P. M. Public cordially invited.

Services at Grace Church to-day by the pastor, Rev A. P. Tyer, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Experience meeting 10 A. M; Epworth devotional meeting, 7:15 P. M.; Sunday school, J. H. Davis superintendent, 3:30 P. M.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M.

CATHERINE KENNEDY HOME.

The Benevolent Society acknowledges with thanks donations to the Catherine Kennedy Home from the following friends:

Mrs. Warrock, Miss Louise Harlowe, A Friend, Mrs. Yarborough, A Friend, Mrs. V. Hall, Mrs. Bridgers, A Friend, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Roger Moore, Mrs. Albright, Mrs A. G. Hankins A Friend, Mrs. Mary Mahn, Miss Emily Kea, Mrs. Turlington, Miss Duffie, Mrs. E. A. King, Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, Mr. J. F. Garrell, Miss Puss Hancock, Mrs. A. M. Waddell, Mrs. E. Toon, A Friend, Mrs. R. M. McIntire, Mrs. Gaston Meares, a nice lot of china; Mrs. B Solomon; a nice cake from the Y. M. C. A. reception, Miss Blanche Fentress, Mrs Gilchist.

Next Tuesday, at 3 30 o'clock, the annual meeting will be held at the Home. A full attendance is desired. If the members would attend the meetings their interest would be greatly increased and those who attend regularly would feel greatly encouraged. Those who have not paid their dues for 1899 are again asked to do so either before or at this meeting.

Bound for Wilmington.

The following vessels are reported either in port or having sailed for Wilmington:

British steamship *Laura*, 1,804 tons, Yule, Hull, to Wilmington; passed Prawle October 9th.

Norwegian barque *Louise*, 621 tons, Tonnesen, sailed Savannah October 27th for Wilmington.

Norwegian barque *River Thames*, 454 tons, Quale, sailed Bristol October 9th.

Schooner *B. I. Hazard*, 372 tons, Blatchford, New York (in bay)

Schooner *D. J. Sawyer*, 288 tons, Kelly, at Newark.

Schooner *Jno. R. Fell*, 318 tons, Lane, at Yonkers.

Schooner *Ira B. Ellems*, 264 tons, Marston, at New York October 21st.

Schooner *Island City*, 406 tons, Henderson; sailed South Amboy October 30th, laden with coal for J. A. Springer & Co., and in distress on account of storm at Philadelphia.

Schooner *Wm. F. Campbell*, 169 tons, sailed for Wilmington and Humacoa.

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STATE ELECTIONS NEXT TUESDAY.

Campaign in Nebraska the Most Closely and Bitterly Contested for Years.

SITUATION IN OHIO UNCERTAIN

A Vigorous Campaign by the Republicans With the Leading Idea That the President Must be Sustained in His Philippine Policy.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLN, NEB., November 4.—The official campaign, which practically closed in Nebraska to-day, has been the most closely and bitterly contested for years Speakers of national reputation have covered the State thoroughly, and the interest and enthusiasm aroused is nearly equal to that of a presidential year. Three tickets are in the field, but the Prohibitionists will hardly be a factor, leaders of the party admitting that nominations were made merely to keep up the organization. The fight, is therefore, between the Republicans with Judge M. B. Reese for Supreme Justice, heading the ticket and a compact fusion of Populists, Democrats and free silver Republicans, with ex-Governor Silas A. Holcomb as the head of the ticket.

The Republicans assumed the aggressive at the outset, making State questions the leading issue, but this was changed as soon as W. J. Bryan entered the campaign, and for the last month national questions have been discussed almost exclusively. Mr. Bryan has made a thorough canvass of the State, speaking in opposition to imperialism and trusts and in favor of the income tax. Republican campaigners adapted themselves to the new programme and have defended the policy of the national administration in its conduct of the war and management of the Philippines.

Campaign in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, November 4.—To-night practically closes the debate in Ohio in the campaign for the election of State and county officers. Six tickets are before the people—Democratic, Republican, Non partisan, Prohibition, Union Reform and Socialistic Labor. The last three named have not made any showing that indicates any more than the ordinary number of votes, but the progress of the campaign has shown that the other three parties will poll a more than usually full vote. Registration in the big cities is more than abnormal. How the vote will be distributed between McLean (Democrat), Nash (Republican) and Jones (Non-partisan) is not easy to predict at the close of the campaign. Untrammelled by party allegiance or party platform Jones has made a vigorous campaign, and has created enough apprehension among both Democrats and Republicans to make the whole situation uncertain. It is generally conceded that his vote will be considerable, and the puzzling question is, from which party he will take the most votes. The Republicans have made a vigorous campaign, with the leading idea that the President must be sustained in his Philippine policy. That, indeed, has been the most prominent point of attack by the Democrats; so that State issues, the money question and everything else have been generally ignored. The Democrats have made a fight against trusts and especially against Senator Hanna. It does not appear that the gold Democrats of 1896 will join the Republicans this year, and the Democrats are practically united while the Republicans have serious factional fights in Cincinnati, Cleveland and other places. The Jones strength is admitted to be greatest in cities and factory towns where large numbers of workingmen are employed. In the rural districts it is believed by both parties his support will be light. The estimates of Republican and Democratic party leaders vary widely as to the vote Jones will poll in the State.

The currency question has cut but little figure in the campaign..

The Fight in Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, KY., November 4.—The personality of William Goebel, the regular Democratic nominee for Governor, has been the principal theme of discussion in the campaign which will end next Tuesday in the election of a full State ticket National issues have not figured in the campaign except as they were introduced by the large class of speakers who urged in favor of the regular nominee on the ground that the fight in Kentucky this fall is a fore runner of the battle of 1900 and its results might seriously affect the latter.

In Favor of the Democrats.

BALTIMORE, November 4.—The campaign in Maryland closed to-night with the leaders of the parties claiming everything, but with the betting decidedly in favor of the Democratic candidates. Odds of two to one are being freely offered on Smith's election as Governor, with but few takers, though why this should be is not apparent to an unprejudiced observer.

NAVAL STORES COMBINE.

Movement in Savannah for a Consolidation of Interests to Dominate Markets at Home and Abroad.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., November 4.—A well defined rumor in business circles to-day has it that all of the naval stores companies of Savannah, and probably at Brunswick, also, are to be brought into a combination with a large capital. The promoter of the enterprise is understood to be Mr. J. K. Garnett. He has been working up the scheme several days in company with a Mr. Barber, an attorney of Boston. The general plan as it is understood is for the organization of one large company with a capacity of twelve million or fifteen million dollars to buy up all the large factors and form one huge company. It is stated that some of the larger houses in Savannah have given options on their business already. A number of naval stores men give tacit confirmation to the rumor that the deal is on foot. It may be consummated during the coming week. Savannah is the leading naval stores market of the world. A consolidation of interess here would dominate the markets at home and abroad.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, decrease $3,376,875; loans, decrease $240,900; specie, decrease $3,875,900; legal tenders, decrease $942,800; deposits, decrease $5,767,300; circulation, increase $396,300. The banks now hold $338,350 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

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AFTER THE BATTLE.

Little Prospect of Another Fight Between Jeffries and Sharkey—Latter Claims He Won the Last Fight.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Jeffries' manager, William A. Brady, made a statement to-day, in which he says:

"Jeffries will not fight again this year and his next fight will probably be at the Paris Exposition. He has defeated Sharkey twice now, and I do not think the sailor has any right to demand another meeting with Jeffries before the champion meets any one else. Jim will probably meet Corbett or Fitzsimmons. Corbett undoubtedly would prove the greater drawing card in Paris. Jeffries is young yet and needs a chance to develop. He can whip any man in the world, and he is ready to meet any man."

Jeffries said: "I am no worse off now than I was before I went into the fight, except for my left arm. I gave Sharkey three or four punches with it and then it went to pieces and I had to fight him with one hand. I whipped him with one hand."

Starkey said: "Jeffries did not win the fight. Giving the decision to him was the rankest kind of robbery, and Jeffries wasn't the only man who was in on the deal either. It was the rankest kind of a steal. Why, that big stiff was laying all over me half the time and fouling me time and again. I asked him to break away and he would not. It was more like wrestling than anything else"

"Jeffries says you fouled him," said one of those present.

"He's a liar," exclaimed Sharkey. "I never fouled him."

ADMIRAL SCHLEY AT ATLANTA

Enthusiastic Welcome to the Hero of Santiago—Loving Cup Presented—Military Parade—Reception.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., November 4.—Rear Admiral W. S. Schley was enthusiastically welcomed to Atlanta to-day.

After a short reception at the Kimball House the ladies and gentlemen of the party were escorted to the State capitol, where they were met by a great crowd of people on the capitol grounds and were welcomed in the Governor's reception room by the chief executive. From here they were escorted to the hall of representatives. Admiral Schley, after an introduction, made a short speech acknowledging appreciation of his welcome.

At 1.30 o'clock, after reviewing the military parade, the exercises at the auditorium began in the presence of 12 000 people. Col. W. A. Hemphill presented the loving cup, bearing this inscription: "Presented to Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley by the citizens of Atlanta, Ga, November 4th, 1899." Admiral Schley in accepting the cup made a short speech, which was frequently interrupted by vigorous cheers from his hearers.

After the exercises Admiral Schley and the gentlemen of the party were entertained at a luncheon at the Piedmont Driving Club. Mrs. Schley and Miss Letterman were given a reception by the ladies. A reception at the Capital City Club this evening closed the honors of the day.

CONVICTED OF RAPE.

Reuben Ross, Colored, Sentenced to be Hanged at Lumberton Dec. 7th—Intense Excitement in Court Room.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 4.—At Lumberton to-day Reuben Ross, colored, was convicted of rape and sentenced to be hanged on December 7th next. His victim was Mrs. Bettie Ingram, a highly respected lady.

The feeling of the people was so strongly against the rapist during the trial that the court had to exercise great precaution to prevent an outbreak against the prisoner. It was only the fact that the people felt confident that speedy justice would be meted out to the brute that restrained them from violence. The prisoner, however, had a fair trial and his guilt was clearly established.

Mrs. Ingram, while giving her testimony fainted and the excitement among the men in the court room became so intense that many were seen to place their hands on their pistols. The woman in consequence of the crime is now a physical and almost mental wreck.

But for the great precautions taken it is probable that the negro would have been riddled with bullets in the court room.

WARM WIRELETS.

Yale foot ball team defeated West Point, N. Y., 24 to 0.

In the presence of 3,500 people, with a cold northwest wind blowing, the Princeton foot ball team defeated Brown University by a score of 18 to 6.

The University of Pennsylvania foot ball team was defeated by the Harvard eleven by a score of 16 to 0, in Philadelphia, in the presence of nearly 25,000 spectators.

Right Rev. A. Van DeVyver, Bishop of Richmond, Va, leaves there this morning for Baltimore, upon invitation of Cardinal Gibbons, to join him in a trip to New Orleans.

By a score of 38 to 0, the University of Michigan defeated the University of Virginia at Detroit, Mich. Virginia's light line was no match for the heavy weights from Ann Arbor, and in the second half it went all to pieces

The President will go to Ohio to vote. He will leave Washington Monday evening, arriving at Canton about noon, and probably will leave Canton for the return journey the same evening, reaching Washington Wednesday noon.

Judge W. J. Good, of Florence, Ala., has received a letter from General Jos. Wheeler, who states that he will resume his seat in Congress when that body meets. General Wheeler does not say when he will return from the Philippines.

The report of frost throughout the country contiguous to New Orleans has practically wound up the fever situation in Louisiana for the present season. Ice and frost and temperature as low as 28 degrees was general along the railroad lines running into that city.

The election in Virginia Tuesday will be for half the State Senate, the other half being hold-overs, and a full House of Delegates. Very little interest has been taken in the contest, it being conceded that both houses of the Assembly will be overwhelmingly Democratic.

Nearly $400,000, and possibly several lives, represent the cost of a fire that destroyed the larger part of the American Steel & Wire Company's plant at Waukean, Ill., yesterday. Unconfirmed reports place the number of men who perished at from two to eleven.

SERIOUS MATTER FOR THE BRITISH.

The Evacuation of Colenso and Complete Investment of Ladysmith.

GEN. WHITE IN A BAD BOX.

Boer Commander Has It in His Power to Prevent Any Relief Expedition Reaching Ladysmith—Bombardment of the Place Continues.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, November 5.—The evacuation of Colenso is undoubtedly a most serious matter for the British in Natal, as it not only testifies to the complete investment of Ladysmith by the Boers, but makes the relief of General Sir George Stewart White an extremely difficult operation.

Colenso is the point where the railway from Ladysmith crosses the Tugela river, which is now in flood. The town itself is of small importance. It is dominated by the hills on the north side of the river, and so was untenable if the Boers had advanced, as they seemed to have done; moreover, only a small naval and colonial force was stationed at Colenso.

The seriousness of the evacuation, however, lies in the fact that Commandant General Joubert, while completely investing Sir George White at Ladysmith, can seize this Tugela bridge and if he has sufficient troops can detach a force and send it southward on Pietermaritzburg, and in any case, by destroying the bridge and railway, can prevent any relief expedition reaching Sir George White for some time.

Military men optimistically predict that General Joubert will withdraw from Natal immediately Sir Redvers Buller's force enters the Orange Free State, but the latter cannot be far on his way for at least three or four weeks, and even then General Joubert may not decide to intercept the British on the Free State's open veldt, which would suit the British admirably, but he may wait until the last moment and then proceed by train back to Pretoria and take up strong defensive positions on the range of hills lying in front of Johannesburg and Pretoria.

Thus General Joubert might remain in Natal several weeks longer, endeavoring to force Sir George White into capitulation, the destruction of the Tugela river bridge helping him by cutting off Brtish relief.

Position is Critical.

Moreover, another Boer force is reported to have marched through Zululand in the direction of Durban, and already to have reached the Natal frontier. Thus it will be seen the position in Natal, taking into consideration a possible uprising of the disaffected Dutch, is most disquieting and in fact, may be described as critical. British reinforcements in any number cannot reach Durban before the end of next week.

A special from Ladysmith, dated November 2d, morning, says: "During the night the boers moved closer to the Brittish positions, and mounted guns in fresh places. Meanwhile the naval guns have been moved to more favorable positions, near the town and commanding some of the Boer batteries.

"At 6 o'clock this morning, General White ordered the bombardment of the enemy and the blue jackets opened the ball. The Boers replied vigorously They fired straight and some of the British were hit.

Artillery Duel Continued.

"A terrible artillery duel has been proceeding for over three hours. So far the naval guns are the only ones that have engaged the enemy."

LONDON, November 4.—The War Office has issued the following announcement:

The Colonial Office has received information to the effect that the British troops have withdrawn from Colenso and have concentrated further south; but we have no news of any engagement in that neighborhood."

Colenso is south of Ladysmith.

LADYSMITH, November 4, Afternoon, Via Cape Town—Four naval long range guns have been mounted here

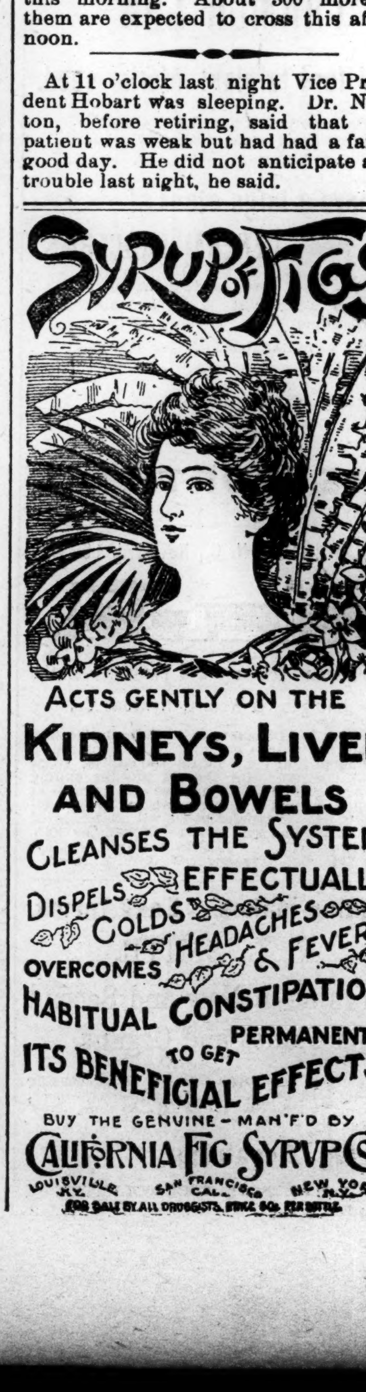
CAPE TOWN, November 2.—(delayed in transmission)—According to an undated dispatch received here from Ladysmith, the body of Gen. Kerok, the Boer commander, who was wounded in the battle of Glencoe, captured and taken to Ladysmith, where he died recently, has been taken to Pretoria.

The dispatch added that the Ladysmith townspeople, including the women, witnessed the battle at Ladysmith. It was also said that the resumption of fighting was hourly expected.

The Boers are traversing Zululand, hoisting flags over the British magistracies.

The Boers crossed Bethulie bridge this morning. About 300 more of them are expected to cross this after noon.

At 11 o'clock last night Vice President Hobart was sleeping. Dr. Newton, before retiring, said that the patient was weak but had had a fairly good day. He did not anticipate any trouble last night, he said.



IN FAVOR OF THE RAILROADS.

Judge Simonton Announces Decision in the Railroad Assessment Injunction Cases.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 4.—U. S. Judge Simonton to-day filed his decision here in the petition of the various railroad companies in the State for an injunction against the North Carolina Corporation Commission and the State officials. Nine railroads in the State filed petitions with Judge Simonton, asking for an injunction to prevent the Corporation Commission from certifying the 1899 assessment of railroad property to the State auditor and State treasurer, and to prevent the auditor and treasurer from collecting taxes on the 1899 assessment, and commanding that the railroad assessment of 1897 stand, and that the companies petitioning pay taxes on the 1897 assessment. The following were the railroads which prayed for this injunction:

The Southern Railway, the Carolina Central; the Raleigh and Augusta Air Line, the Raleigh and Gaston; the Seaboard and Roanoke; the Roanoke and Tar River; the Wilmington and Weldon; the Norfolk and Carolina; the Atlanta and North Carolina.

Judge Simonton decides the case in favor of the railroads. The 1899 assessment of railroad property exceeded the assessment of 1897 by over $10,000,000 This was one of the most important cases ever heard in North Carolina. It was argued in Asheville last September.

The committee on constitutional amendment of the Georgia House of Representatives recommends the passage of Representative Hardwick's bill disfranchising the negro. The bill imposes an educational qualification on the negro voter. It is believed the passage of the bill by the House is assured.

The Navy cadets at Annapolis won a victory from the University of North Carolina by a score of twelve to nothing. No score was made in the first half, but in the second Wade and Halligan made touchdowns and Wortman kicked goal.

Fire at Kansas City this (Sunday) morning, destroyed a six story building. The loss on the building and stock is at least $200,000.

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The monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254 will be held at the W. L. I. Armory on Monday night, November 6th, at 8.30 o'clock. Attention of members is called to the new rule of meeting on the first Monday night of every month. Henry Savage, Adjutant. no 5 1t

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For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. P. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

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Large consignment Mt. Airy Apples in to-day. Choice stock for quick sale. Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Choice Confections. Best Up-country Butter always on hand. A. S. Winstead, Second street corner postoffice green. jy 20 tf

Wanted—Peaches, Apples, Plums, Grapes and all kinds of Fruits. Also, all kinds of Produce. Good prices and prompt returns guaranteed. R. B. Moore, Commission Merchant, No. 5 Dock street. je 11 tf

Turpentine Still and Fixtures complete. For sale low. The Worth Co. apr 7 tf

For Sale—At Burgaw, in good order, one 15 horse-power Engine and Boiler, one 50 saw Cotton Gin, one Brooks Press. Apply to The Worth Co. fe 28 tf

WILMINGTON SEACOAST R. R.

Schedule for Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 & 4.

Leave Wilmington, 10.00 A. M., 2.30 P. M. and 6.30 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville, 8.15 A. M., 1.00 P. M. and 5 00 P. M.

Sunday, Nov. 5th.

Leave Wilmington, 10.00 A. M., 2.30 P. M. and 6.00 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville, 1.00 P. M. and 5.30 P. M.
nov 3 3t

New Meat Market.

This is to inform the many friends of Mr. Johnnie Hintz that he has completed arrangements to go into the Meat Business under the firm name of J. H. Hintz & Co., on stalls Nos. and 8, north side of Market House, formerly occupied by C. S. Garrell & Co., where by polite attention and dispatch he hopes for a full share of the patronage of his old friends.

J. H. HINTZ.

Inter-State 'Phone 326, Bell 'Phone 128.
sep 24 tf

The Retailers' Best Leader FLOUR

"Q Q" BRAND "Q Q"

Try one barrel as a flyer.
Its Immense sales attest its

POPULARITY.

We have consignments and shippers wanting returns.

400 Barrels Choice September Mullets.
2,000 Bushels Texas Seed Oats.

As long as they last you don't want to buy elsewhere.

Vollers & Hashagen,
Wholesale Provisions.
oct 29 tf

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FANCY SUITINGS.

Baumberg's German Fancy Knotted Cheviots. Pembroke Mills Fancy Cassimeres. Meinhard's Fancy Diagonals.

Up-to-date Trouserings.

Anchor Mills Fancy Plaid Wool Cheviots. Holland Mills Fancy Worsteds. A pretty Line of Clay Worsteds. Lots of other Fancies in Pantings and Suitings we could mention.

All these goods we have in stock—not in the newspapers. Work first class and Trimmings Not Excelled anywhere Your Trade Solicited.

F. H. KRAHNKE,
113 Princess street.
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LEADERS, LEADERS.

Baldwin Apples,
New Cotton Ties,
Fine Salt,
New Catch Mullets,
P. R. Molasses,
Vanilla Syrup.

We are able to give your business our attention.

Promptness and politeness cost nothing. If our prices and style of business don't suit you, no harm done. Call or write.

T. D. LOVE,
24 North Water Street.

Steamer for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Passengers, freight and towage.
For rates apply to T. D. LOVE,
oct 19 tf General Agent

Maxton Building and Loan Association,

MAXTON, N. C.

DIRECTORS:

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W. H. BERNARD, WILMINGTON.
M. G. MCKENZIE, MAXTON.

The attention of investors in Wilmington is called to the fact that the

Average Profits

of the Six Series of Stock now in force in this Association have been about

Eleven Per Cent.

Initiation Fee, 25 cents per share.
Subscriptions to stock payable in weekly instalments of 25 cents per share.
The management is prudent and economical, as is shown by the fact that the Association has sustained no losses, and its annual expenses, including taxes, are only about Two Hundred Dollars. J. D. CROOM, President
W. B HARKER Secretary. je 10 tf

Boys! Don't Forget!

A Nice New Hat Crowns the Gentleman!
The place to buy is

Hamme, The Hatter

Latest styles and lowest prices.
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NEW CROP NUTS.

2,000 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
5,000 New C. C. Nuts.
1,000 Pounds Grated C. C. Nuts.
4,000 Pounds New Raisins,
100 Barrels Baldwin Apples,
1,200 Bushels New Peanuts.
6,000 Pounds New Rice.
5,500 Pounds New Mullets.
2,400 Pounds White Fish.
1,800 Bushels R. P. Oats.
200 Bushels Rye and Wheat.

We have no old holiday goods to work off.

W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer,
oct 29 tf Wilmington, N. C

HOECAKE SODA.

Having concluded negotiations for the purchase of this superior and well established brand of Soda, manufactured by The Roanoke Chemical Company, we will continue its manufacture. We are now prepared to fill the orders of the trade for this popular Goods, put up in packages of all sizes to suit the trade.

Reliable Brand of Soda.

We will also continue the manufacture of our own "Reliable Brand" of Soda, which is guaranteed to be as good as any on the market. Goods put up in packages to suit.
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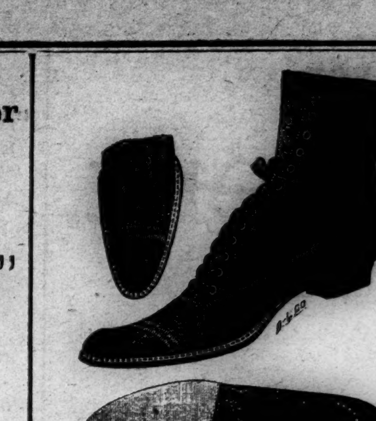

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Thick Soles, Military Heels, Strong, Hygienic, Stylish, Easy, Durable, and yet Light, Neat and Comfortable. Especially adapted to street and general wear.

$2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

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We close at 7 o'clock, except Saturdays
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Another Opportunity.

$1.05

Buys this week only, full size high back solid Oak Dining Chair, Your selection from four patterns.

This Diner sells everywhere for $1.50.
They are yours while they last

Our floors teem with

NEW FURNITURE.

All kinds Mattresses made and renovated.
Yours for Bargains,

THE SNEED-FULLER COMPANY.

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Save your Money by Depositing it in

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The strongest Savings Bank in North Carolina. We will pay you 4 per cent. a year, compounded quarterly, on any amount over $5.00

RESULTS, if you deposit in "The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.:"

$1	a week for 5 years	you will have	$286
$2	"	"	$5 2
$3	"	"	$858
$4	"	"	$1144
$5	"	"	$1430
$10	"	"	$2860
$15	"	"	$4290
$1	for 10 years	"	$637
$2	"	"	$1274
$3	"	"	$1911
$4	"	"	$548
$5	"	"	$3185
$10	"	"	$6370
$15	"	"	$9555

J. W. NORWOOD, PRESIDENT. H. WALTERS, VICE-PRESIDENT.
nov 5 tf JAS. S. WORTH, ACTING CASHIER.

WE ARE RUSHED

with orders. If you would have a THANKSGIVING Suit you had best drop in now and leave your order. Our lines of English, French and Scotch Tweeds and Fancy Cassimeres are still unbroken, owing to our very large stock.

We are showing the handsomest line of OVERCOAT goods ever on display in this city.

Owing to our having such an enormous stock of "Underwear" we will sell AT COST THIS WEEK, so as to reduce same.

Full line of Furnishing Goods up-to-date.

M. H. CURRAN,
nov 4 tf 107 PRINCESS STREET.

EASILY TIED TIES

AT EASILY MET PRICES.

You should see the recent innovations I have

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Quite a combination of shapes and colorings.

"If you see it in our window
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A. SHRIER, Outfitter to Mankind.

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Tinware of every description, Paper and Twine, Bags, Glassware,

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Candies. Large variety of Penny Goods, Stick and Mixed Candies.

Also, Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Notions, Stationery, Millinery, Toys, &c.

We are leaders in low prices.

J. H. REHDER & CO.,
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MY PRICES ON DRY GOODS TALK FOR ME

Around Your Fireside at Home. Bring Them to the Store and Buy Goods Cheaper Than You Ever Saw Them Before. Prices Talk; Cash Buys Bargains. My Store is Loaded With Values.

I can sell you good Canton Flannel at 4½c, 5c, 7c, 8c and 10c.

Shirting, White Homespun, at 2¾c; worth 4c. Short end Preperell Drill; worth 8c, my price 6c. Flannelette at 4½c; extra wide at 5c; the best made at 6c. We have White and Red Flannels at 14c, 18c, 20c, 25c, up to 50c.

Nice Worsted, Black, Red, Brown and Green, at 9c. Double fold Dress Goods at 9c, and all grades of Fancy Dress in Plaids at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 25c and 29c up. A big lot of new Golf Plaids at 29c, 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00.

In Dress Goods we are up-to-date; and we handle all classes of Linings, and Cambrics at 5c. Corset Jeans at 7c. Real Silk at 15c. Marine heavy double fold at 10c and 12½c. Tafatine Linings at 20c and 25c per yard. I have a complete stock of Linings and Dress Goods.

We have about 500 yards of Fur at one-fourth the regular price, all new Goods. I will sell you good Fur at 7c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c and 25c; the regular price from 20c to $1.00.

Silk Braids—all classes—from 1c to 25c per yard. Jet and Steel Braids and Gimp from 2½c to 25c per yard.

Silk Chord and Jet Sets at 5c, 10c and up to 25c a set for Dress; worth from 25c to 30c a set.

We have just received a big stock of Fine Embroidery, Laces and Insertions. We have good wide Embroidery at 5c, 7c, 10c up to 25c a yard. Lace at 1c to 35c per yard; Insertion to match.

I have to-day just received a big lot of new Cloaks at all prices from $4.00 to $9.00. We have the largest stock of Cloaks of any house in the city, and can sell you a nice fine Silk lined Cloak made of fine Broadcloth at $5.00 and up to $10 00

We have children's long Cloaks at 85c and $1.00; children's and misses' Cloaks from $1.00 to $5 00. We have Capes from 45c to $10.00. If you need a Wrap for anybody see my line; it will pay you. Why, remember I sell them cheaper than other merchants.

I have a big stock of ladies' Hats and fine Birds that come in to-day. Golf Hats, the best quality, at 50c. Nice Walking Hats at 25c. Nice shapes in Felt at 25c, 39c, 50c and up to 75c, $1 00 and $1.25. We have the new styles, and can show you the correct styles as well as the right price.

We can fill your memorandum for Clothing of all grades. Underwear of every variety from children's Under Suit at 8c up to the best quality, at $1.00 and $1.25. Ladies Vests, nice and thick, this week at 10c; old price 25c. I have twenty dozen to sell at that price; a pair to each customer.

Ladies' nice Wool Under Suits from 50c, 75c to $1.00. Union Suits from 25c, 39c to 50c.

Men's heavy Shirts from 19c, 25c, 39c, 50c and up to $1.25.

Come to See Us. We Are at 112 North Front Street, Near the Postoffice.

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Of Wilmington's Big Racket Store.

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